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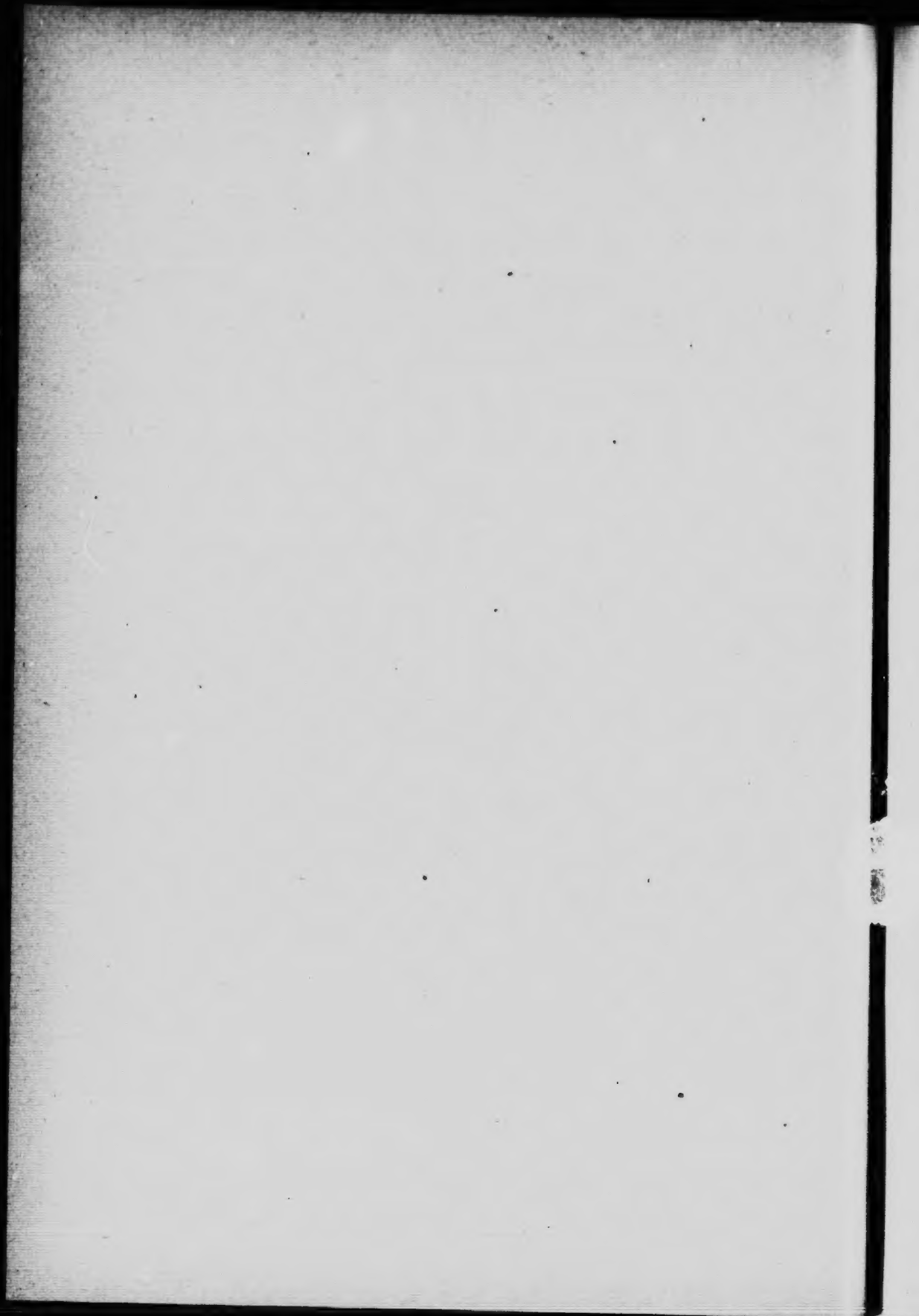


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VICTORIA, June 1st, 1917.

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Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of British Columbia.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

I have the honour to submit herewith Bulletin No. 76, entitled "Agricultural Statistics, 1916," which has been compiled by A. B. Tweddle, Statistician, Department of Agriculture, under the direction of Mr. Wm. E. Scott, Deputy Minister.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

JOHN OLIVER,

Minister of Agriculture.

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INTRODUCTION.



THIS bulletin deals with the statistics of the agricultural industries of the Province of British Columbia. These statistics relate to areas of farms under crop, production of the various crops; animals, animal products, labour, and climate, as affecting agriculture. Included also are statements relating to express movements of fruits and vegetables; imports into and exports from British Columbia. The data relating to field-crop areas and production, live stock, and labour were collected by officials of the Department of Agriculture by means of personal visits to over 1,100 farmers in the various sections of the Province, whilst for fruits and vegetables a farm-to-farm canvass was conducted by the Horticultural Branch in 1916.

For the purpose of this bulletin the Province is divided into six districts, defined as follows:—

Islands—Including Vancouver Island and Gulf Islands.

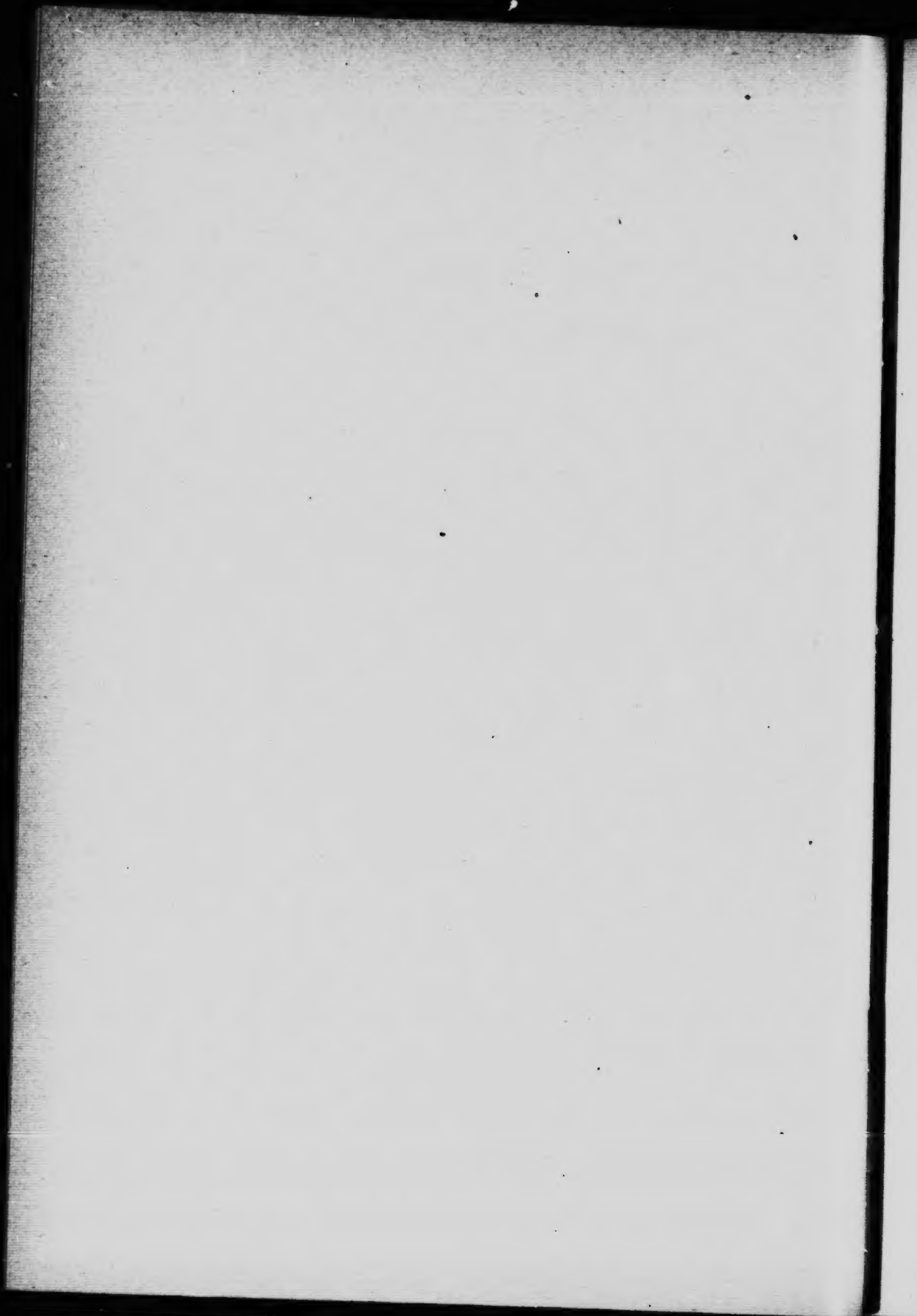
Lower Mainland—Comprising that section tributary to the Fraser River from Agassiz west to the Delta.

Thompson Watershed—That section along the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway from Agassiz east to Chas. (near Shuswap Lake); North Thompson River; north from the railway to Lillooet and south from the railway to Nicola, including Nicola Valley.

Northern and Central—That section tributary to the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway from Prince Rupert east to the Alberta line, and the Peace River Block.

Okanagan and Boundary—Shuswap Arm and the Okanagan Valley from Sicamous to Penticton and east to Grand Forks.

Kootenays—Including East and West Kootenay.



AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS, 1916.

SYNOPSIS OF AGRICULTURAL CONDITIONS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA, YEAR 1916.

Notwithstanding the fact that many land-tillers, owing to enlistment, were absent from the farms in 1916, and the unfavourable climatic conditions in many sections prevented any marked increase in quantity of production, yet the total value, due to enhanced prices, showed an increase of 3.39 per cent. over 1915. Although total imports into British Columbia increased 4.65 per cent., yet, as in the case of home production, this is attributed more to increased prices than to quantities.

Exports of British Columbia products in 1916, as far as could be ascertained, totalled nearly \$4,000,000, or an increase of 30 to 35 per cent. over 1915. There were marked increases in shipments of horses, fruits, and vegetables.

FRUITS.

Apples and other tree-fruits produced well, whilst returns were generally satisfactory. The production of apples alone was 41.1 per cent. greater than 1915, while the total of apples and other tree-fruits was 34.6 per cent. greater. These increases were due to the large percentage of young orchards reaching bearing age.

Small fruits were 52 per cent. greater in acreage than in 1913, according to complete surveys, but in 1916 in the larger producing sections excessive rainfall during picking reduced an otherwise increased harvest, as the setting of fruit, especially raspberries, in the Lower Mainland section was exceptionally heavy. The total value of the large and small fruit crop was \$2,176,662, or an increase of 32.5 per cent. over 1915. Notwithstanding this increased production and the decrease in population, this Province imported nearly \$300,000 worth of raw deciduous fruits and over \$200,000 worth of canned fruits. Over \$1,400,000 worth of fruit was shipped out of the Province.

VEGETABLES.

The acreage of potatoes shows a decrease of 13.5 per cent. from the previous year, whilst the yield was 5.9 per cent. less, yet prices ruling nearly 20 per cent. higher resulted in a total value 12.3 per cent. greater.

Field roots show an increase in acreage of 8 per cent. over 1915, while the total yield was 31 per cent. greater. Other vegetables show a falling-off in production of 27.6 per cent.; the greatest decreases occurring in the Vancouver Island, Lower Mainland, and Central sections of the Province. The total value of these crops decreased 8 per cent. from 1915.

Tomatoes show an increase in yield of 9.6 per cent., and which would have been greater had not early frosts shortened the harvest in the Okanagan, where a very large percentage of the acreage was grown in 1916.

GRAINS.

The area of grain for threshing in 1916 decreased 6.6 per cent. from the previous year. Yields were 15.6 per cent. less in wheat and 27.8 per cent. less in oats. Owing to drought, marked decreases occurred on Vancouver Island and to a greater degree in Central British Columbia and the Peace River sections, where these crops in some localities might be termed a failure from late frosts as well as drought. Prices ruled 30.8 per cent. for wheat and 22.9 per cent. for oats higher than 1915, still the total value of all grains was 9.2 per cent. less than 1915.

BEANS.

The increase in the acreage of White Navy beans in 1916 is worthy of note, there being 1,809 acres, as against 698 the previous year. Prices realized by growers averaged $6\frac{1}{2}$ cents per pound, as against 4 cents in 1915. This crop was almost entirely grown in the Kamloops section.

HAY AND FORAGE.

The hay-crop shows a decrease in area of 2.3 per cent. in 1916. Average yields show marked decreases, owing to the cold, backward spring in all districts and drought over Vancouver Island and Central sections. The total value was 6.7 per cent. less than 1915.

The increase in the acreage of alfalfa in recent years has been quite rapid, there being 5,591 acres in 1916.

Fodder corn, while still comprising a small percentage of the total acreage of fodders, is rapidly increasing also. There were 2,434 acres in 1916, as against 1,705 in 1915, an increase of 42.3 per cent. and 164 per cent. since 1914. Silos, in connection with this and other soiling crops, are rapidly increasing in number, there being not less than 300 in the Province at the end of 1916, representing an approximate investment of \$50,000.

LIVE STOCK.

Horses increased only 1.2 per cent. in value over 1915. There was quite a strong demand for heavier stock for local farming purposes, whilst over 1,500 head of various grades were shipped out of the Province during the year.

Beef cattle increased in number 3 per cent. Prices were slightly lower. There was a marked decrease in the number of British Columbia cattle slaughtered for consumption in 1916, as compared with the previous year, when excellent grazing resulted in very prime stock, thus creating a strong demand on local markets.

Dairy cattle increased in nearly all sections of the Province, and especially in those where dairying has heretofore commanded little attention. Even in the more established dairy sections small herds were found on an increased number of small farms. In the Chilliwack Municipality, where a complete census was taken in 1916, there were 9,351 dairy cattle of all ages, as against 6,910 in 1913, or an increase of 35 per cent.

Sheep in 1916 increased in number 25 per cent. over 1915. During the past two years there has been a conspicuous absence of ewes on the market, indicating a greater desire to increase the flocks on the farms. The number of local sheep marketed in 1916 decreased 78 per cent.

Hogs increased in number 7 per cent. in 1916, having recovered from the falling-off in 1915, when owing to the high cost of feed large numbers were disposed of.

Poultry and eggs show a very satisfactory increase in both quantity and value, the latter being 58.7 per cent. over 1915.

Dairy products, in quantity, did not reach the increase anticipated, considering a 10-per-cent. increase in the number of dairy cows in the Province. The spring was wet and cold, whilst drought prevailing over Vancouver Island during most of the outdoor feeding season, and along the Lower Fraser valley during the autumn months, and the decreased feeding value of hay in the latter district, were all contributing factors in reducing the milk flow.

A. B. TWEDDLE,

Statistician.

Statistics Branch, Victoria, April 30th, 1917.

PRODUCTION.

TABLE No. 1.—AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION, BRITISH COLUMBIA, YEARS 1914-15, 16.

Description.	1916.		1915.		1914.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Horses	No.	\$ 2,275,000	...	\$ 2,247,500	...	\$ 1,927,566
Beef cattle	...	3,118,085	...	3,575,000	...	3,512,170
Dairy cattle	...	2,370,000	...	2,160,000	...	1,976,003
Sheep	...	437,500	...	350,000	...	225,279
Swine	...	497,951	...	465,375	...	481,351
Total live stock ..	...	\$ 8,703,136	...	\$ 8,797,875	...	\$ 8,123,350
Beef and veal	lb 11,700,000	\$ 1,263,600	14,320,000	\$ 1,575,200	9,000,000	\$ 999,000
Pork and pork products ..	702,000	108,000	1,457,370	167,598	770,000	100,100
Mutton	204,000	34,272	937,500	121,875	750,000	112,500
Total meats	12,606,000	\$ 1,405,872	16,714,870	\$ 1,864,673	10,520,000	\$ 1,211,600
Poultry	3,356,400	\$ 738,408	2,154,000	\$ 301,560	3,748,542	\$ 646,793
Eggs	4,531,140	1,585,899	3,877,200	1,163,160	5,037,798	1,763,229
Total poultry and eggs	...	\$ 2,324,307	...	\$ 1,464,720	...	\$ 2,410,022
Butter	lb. 1,811,292	\$ 606,116	1,769,998	\$ 650,540	1,600,124	\$ 571,113
Cheese	18,000	3,060	10,000	2,000	...	...
Milk (as fresh)	gals. 9,113,500	2,551,780	8,963,500	2,381,800	9,058,283	2,440,887
Total dairy products	...	\$ 3,251,856	...	\$ 3,034,340	...	\$ 3,012,000
Apples	lb 59,881,671	\$ 1,414,840	39,934,337	\$ 944,523	29,448,120	\$ 524,074
Other tree-fruits	10,274,533	301,649	12,207,763	334,441	8,734,687	238,300
Small fruits	3,793,680	370,173	3,359,934	363,336	2,889,820	232,688
Total fruits, etc...	73,949,884	\$ 2,176,662	55,502,034	\$ 1,642,300	41,072,627	\$ 996,071
Potatoes	tons 72,709	\$ 1,844,612	77,272	\$ 1,643,248	...	...
Other vegetables, u.o.p. ..	75,373	1,529,005	72,454	1,419,844	...	...
Total vegetables ..	148,082	\$ 3,374,517	149,726	\$ 3,063,092	162,366	\$ 3,233,542
Hay	tons 338,811	\$ 5,604,237	422,322	\$ 5,791,293	393,431	\$ 6,526,371
Fodder, corn, and kale ..	33,987	134,742	22,130	107,090	10,820	51,668
Total fodders	372,798	\$ 5,741,979	444,452	\$ 5,899,283	404,251	\$ 6,578,039
Whole grains	bu. 4,495,382	\$ 3,293,703	6,585,598	\$ 3,626,330	4,402,753	\$ 2,770,985
Flax	306	703	...	...	...	...
Total grains, etc..	...	\$ 3,294,013	...	\$ 3,626,330	...	\$ 2,770,985
Honey	lb. 240,000	\$ 45,600	200,000	\$ 30,000	300,000	\$ 51,000
Nursery stock	...	50,000	...	58,778	...	100,000
Hops	lb 1,134,315	260,892	860,580	143,430	967,824	232,278
Total miscellaneous	...	\$ 356,492	...	\$ 232,208	...	\$ 380,278
Indians	...	\$ 1,554,081	...	\$ 1,502,980	...	\$ 1,450,204
Grand totals	...	\$32,182,915	...	\$31,127,801	...	\$30,184,100

NOTE.—Home production of live stock is increase during calendar year. Meats, quantities marketed. Poultry, production during year. Milk includes cream, ice-cream, and condensed or evaporated.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

TABLE No. 2—BRITISH COLUMBIA AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION AND IMPORTS
(VALUES ONLY), YEARS 1914-15-16.

Description.	Year.	Home Production.	Imports from other Prov- inces in Canada.	Imports from Foreign Ports.
Live stock	1914	\$ 8,123,369	\$ 5,183,826	\$ 260,432
Live stock	1915	8,797,875	2,049,829	105,078
Live stock	1916	8,703,138	2,350,920	138,119
Meats	1914	1,211,000	2,908,669	897,305
Meats	1915	1,864,673	2,322,022	592,754
Meats	1916	1,405,872	2,782,758	753,182
Poultry products	1914	2,410,022	1,025,827	729,718
Poultry products	1915	1,464,720	832,007	137,500
Poultry products	1916	2,324,307	1,012,132	167,859
Dairy products	1914	3,012,000	2,751,321	1,737,730
Dairy products	1915	3,034,340	2,271,457	1,081,663
Dairy products	1916	3,251,856	3,130,080	475,418
Fruits, etc.	1914	906,071	647,670	580,421
Fruits, etc.	1915	1,842,300	168,970	330,060
Fruits, etc.	1916	2,176,662	276,435	425,591
Vegetables	1914	3,233,542	.....	418,812
Vegetables	1915	3,063,092	.....	215,702
Vegetables	1916	3,374,517	.....	346,927
Fodders	1914	6,578,030	297,232	136,293
Fodders	1915	5,999,283	175,367	44,611
Fodders	1916	5,741,979	230,958	36,956
Grains, etc.	1914	2,770,965	7,091,742	476,175
Grains, etc.	1915	5,626,330	4,787,690	494,235
Grains, etc.	1916	3,294,013	4,615,381	428,083
Miscellaneous (hops, honey, nursery stock)	1914	389,278	2,198	54,784
Miscellaneous (hops, honey, nursery stock)	1915	232,208	15,365	20,440
Miscellaneous (hops, honey, nursery stock)	1916	356,492	1,301	27,572
Indians	1914	1,459,204	.....	.....
Indians	1915	1,502,980	.....	.....
Indians	1916	1,564,081	.....	.....
Total	1914	\$30,184,100	\$19,008,455	\$5,290,670
Total	1915	31,127,801	13,493,807	2,941,163
Total	1916	32,182,915	14,399,995	2,709,697

TABLE No. 3—BRITISH COLUMBIA AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION AND IMPORTS
(VALUES ONLY), YEARS 1900 to 1916.

Year.	Home Production.	Imports.	Year.	Home Production.	Imports.
1900	\$ 8,000,000	\$11,110,237	1913	\$20,222,033	\$20,070,757
1910	14,398,390	15,187,227	1914	30,184,100	25,199,125
1911	21,641,928	14,699,854	1915	31,127,801	16,434,970
1912	22,269,768	15,252,022	1916	32,182,915	17,199,692

TABLE No 4—AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION, BRITISH COLUMBIA, GRAIN, HAY, AND VEGETABLES, 1914-1916.

WHEAT.

District.	Year.	Acres in Crop.	Yield per Acre.	Total Yield.	Price.	Total Value.
			Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	
Islands	1914	500	36.5	29,200	\$1 27	\$ 37,084
Islands	1915	1,256	30.0	37,680	1 09	41,072
Islands	1916	1,308	26.1	34,130	1 31	51,550
Lower Mainland	1914	1,314	39.0	51,244	1 25	64,058
Lower Mainland	1915	1,380	32.0	43,808	1 06	46,436
Lower Mainland	1916	890	32.9	29,281	1 53	44,800
Thompson Watershed ..	1914	6,921	20.7	143,265	1 02	146,180
Thompson Watershed ..	1915	8,651	30.0	259,530	1 03	267,316
Thompson Watershed ..	1916	8,486	27.0	229,122	2 30	318,480
Central and Northern ..	1914	1,506	33.8	50,900	2 25	114,002
Central and Northern ..	1915	2,151	44.0	94,640	1 25	107,550
Central and Northern ..	1916	1,500	18.6	27,900	1 85	40,605
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1914	3,237	27.1	87,723	1 05	92,100
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1915	5,088	30.0	152,640	1 03	156,020
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1916	6,287	26.8	168,492	1 30	219,040
East and West Kootenay ..	1914	222	25.0	5,550	1 29	7,150
East and West Kootenay ..	1915	345	26.0	9,070	1 06	9,506
East and West Kootenay ..	1916	372	26.2	9,746	1 33	12,96
Totals and averages..	1914	14,060	26.31	360,914	\$1 26	\$465,632
Totals and averages..	1915	19,760	31.16	615,668	1 07	656,911
Totals and averages..	1916	18,843	26.31	495,080	1 40	692,807

OATS.

			Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	
Islands	1914	2,171	65.3	141,756	\$0 67	\$ 94,983
Islands	1915	3,908	65.0	254,020	48	121,930
Islands	1916	3,645	47.8	174,231	56	97,569
Lower Mainland	1914	26,151	76.5	1,541,551	52	801,607
Lower Mainland	1915	28,036	80.0	2,242,880	46	1,031,725
Lower Mainland	1916	30,839	72.6	2,238,911	53	1,186,623
Thompson Watershed ..	1914	3,568	35.7	120,174	57	68,499
Thompson Watershed ..	1915	4,279	55.0	235,345	45	105,905
Thompson Watershed ..	1916	5,244	46.8	245,419	51	125,164
Central and Northern ..	1914	22,658	80.6	1,826,235	57	1,040,954
Central and Northern ..	1915	31,451	84.0	2,641,884	50	1,320,942
Central and Northern ..	1916	21,829	38.2	833,808	79	658,756
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1914	3,765	46.1	173,566	59	102,404
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1915	4,706	53.6	252,242	47	118,554
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1916	4,041	48.6	240,133	54	129,672
East and West Kootenay ..	1914	375	35.0	13,125	67	8,794
East and West Kootenay ..	1915	506	55.0	27,830	53	14,750
East and West Kootenay ..	1916	567	37.8	21,432	60	12,859
Totals and averages..	1914	52,066	72.44	3,816,417	\$0 55	\$2,117,241
Totals and averages..	1915	72,880	77.58	5,654,201	48	2,713,806
Totals and averages..	1916	67,965	55.98	3,753,994	59	2,210,643

BARLEY.

			Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	
Islands	1914	182	34.0	6,188	\$0	\$ 5,012
Islands	1915	264	33.0	8,712		8,921
Islands	1916	362	31.0	9,362		8,510
Lower Mainland	1914	1,056	52.0	54,912		37,880
Lower Mainland	1915	1,100	43.0	47,300	66	28,180
Lower Mainland	1916	1,056	49.2	51,935	71	36,888
Thompson Watershed ..	1914	990	23.1	22,860	72	16,406
Thompson Watershed ..	1915	1,089	32.0	34,848	70	24,394
Thompson Watershed ..	1916	772	40.2	31,034	74	23,065
Central and Northern ..	1914	1,122	53.4	59,915	80	47,932
Central and Northern ..	1915	2,190	57.0	124,830	70	87,361
Central and Northern ..	1916	1,309	21.4	28,012	92	25,771
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1914	507	40.0	20,280	65	13,182
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1915	545	52.0	28,340	75	21,255
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1916	567	43.0	24,381	82	19,992
East and West Kootenay ..	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay ..	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay ..	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals and averages..	1914	3,857	42.56	164,164	\$0 73	\$120,481
Totals and averages..	1915	5,188	47.00	244,030	69	168,031
Totals and averages..	1916	4,006	36.13	144,744	79	114,135

TABLE No. 4—PRODUCTION OF GRAIN, HAY, AND VEGETABLES, 1914-16—Continued.
Rye.

District.	Year.	Acres in Crop.	Yield per Acre.	Total Yield.	Price.	Total Value.
			Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	
Islands	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1916	6	30.0	180	.....	.....
Lower Mainland	1914	10	35.0	350	\$0 81	\$ 149
Lower Mainland	1915	20	38.0	720	69	241
Lower Mainland	1916	.....	.....	.....	60	432
Thompson Watershed ..	1914	360	20.5	7,380	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed ..	1915	414	25.0	10,350	92	0,780
Thompson Watershed ..	1916	251	23.5	5,898	85	8,797
Central and Northern ..	1914	52	25.5	1,330	97	5,721
Central and Northern ..	1915	73	25.5	1,861	2 35	3,355
Central and Northern ..	1916	40	15.0	600	65	1,210
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	95	37.2	3,534	1 35	810
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	110	45.0	4,950	92	251
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	110	22.1	2,431	95	4,702
East and West Kootenay	1914	40	33.7	1,348	85	2,006
East and West Kootenay	1915	40	37.0	1,480	70	944
East and West Kootenay	1916	45	26.0	1,170	85	1,258
Totals and averages..	1914	557	25.02	13,038	\$0 92	\$12,816
Totals and averages..	1915	657	29.47	19,361	85	16,399
Totals and averages..	1916	452	22.74	10,279	94	9,623

PEAS.

			Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	
Islands	1914	44	34.3	1,509	\$1 35	\$2,037
Islands	1915	50	33.0	1,650	1 30	2,145
Islands	1916	128	36.0	4,536	2 06	8,072
Lower Mainland	1914	500	30.0	15,000	1 30	19,500
Lower Mainland	1915	575	34.0	19,550	1 25	24,437
Lower Mainland	1916	719	32.5	23,367	2 27	53,043
Thompson Watershed ..	1914	40	32.3	1,292	1 40	1,800
Thompson Watershed ..	1915	45	33.0	1,485	1 35	2,005
Thompson Watershed ..	1916	235	18.8	4,418	2 00	8,836
Central and Northern ..	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern ..	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern ..	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1916	5	18.0	90	2 30	207
Totals and averages..	1914	584	30.48	17,801	\$1 31	\$23,346
Totals and averages..	1915	670	33.86	22,685	1 26	28,587
Totals and averages..	1916	1,065	29.87	32,411	2 19	71,158

BEANS.

			Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	
Islands	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lower Mainland	1914	25	20.0	500	\$2 40	\$ 1,200
Lower Mainland	1915	29	22.0	638	2 55	1,627
Lower Mainland	1916	5	13.5	68	3 90	265
Thompson Watershed ..	1914	550	15.0	8,250	2 40	19,800
Thompson Watershed ..	1915	544	20.0	10,880	2 55	27,744
Thompson Watershed ..	1916	1,687	26.0	45,380	3 90	176,982
Central and Northern ..	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern ..	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern ..	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	125	8.0	1,000	2 40	2,400
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	125	13.0	1,625	2 55	4,145
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	117	10.8	1,263	3 90	4,926
East and West Kootenay	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals and averages..	1914	700	13.93	9,750	\$2 40	\$ 23,400
Totals and averages..	1915	698	18.83	13,143	2 55	33,516
Totals and averages..	1916	1,809	25.82	46,711	3 90	182,173

TABLE No. 4—PRODUCTION OF GRAIN, HAY, AND VEGETABLES, 1914-16—Continued.
MIXED GRAINS.

District.	Year.	Acres in Crop.	Yield per Acre.	Total Yield.	Price.	Total Value.
			Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	
Islands	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lower Mainland	1914	15	27.5	413	\$0 79	\$ 326
Lower Mainland	1915	203	53.0	10,750	75	8,000
Lower Mainland	1916	254	65.0	16,510	50	8,255
Lower Mainland	1916	244	45.7	11,150	1 10	12,265
Thompson Watershed ..	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed ..	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed ..	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern ..	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern ..	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern ..	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay ..	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay ..	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay ..	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals and averages..	1914	203	53.0	10,750	\$0 75	\$ 8,000
Totals and averages..	1915	254	65.0	16,510	55	8,000
Totals and averages..	1916	250	44.04	11,563	1 00	12,501

GRAIN HAY.

			Tons.	Tons.	Ton.	
Islands	1914	1,452	2.5	3,630	\$17 00	\$ 61,710
Islands	1915	2,178	2.9	6,316	15 00	94,740
Islands	1916	2,480	2.5	6,215	20 00	124,300
Lower Mainland	1914	2,480	2.6	6,471	8 75	56,631
Lower Mainland	1915	3,300	3.0	10,000	11 50	115,020
Lower Mainland	1916	5,174	2.8	14,487	13 35	193,401
Thompson Watershed ..	1914	2,000	1.4	2,800	14 00	39,200
Thompson Watershed ..	1915	2,420	2.5	6,050	11 00	66,550
Thompson Watershed ..	1916	2,178	1.7	3,702	13 00	48,126
Central and Northern ..	1914	359	2.7	980	25 00	24,225
Central and Northern ..	1915	502	2.5	1,255	16 00	20,080
Central and Northern ..	1916	2,520	1.0	2,520	18 00	45,360
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1914	5,000	1.6	8,104	13 00	118,352
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1915	7,112	2.0	14,224	12 00	170,688
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1916	7,610	2.1	15,981	14 50	231,724
East and West Kootenay ..	1914	1,001	2.0	3,202	18 50	59,237
East and West Kootenay ..	1915	2,193	2.5	5,482	13 50	74,007
East and West Kootenay ..	1916	2,450	2.8	6,877	14 50	99,710
Totals and averages..	1914	13,591	1.93	26,176	\$13 73	\$350,345
Totals and averages..	1915	17,765	2.44	43,407	12 40	541,985
Totals and averages..	1916	22,424	2.22	49,782	14 92	742,627

HAY (CULTIVATED).

			Tons.	Tons.	Ton.	
Islands	1914	9,264	2.8	25,930	\$19 50	\$ 505,810
Islands	1915	7,411	2.2	16,304	17 00	277,168
Islands	1916	6,692	1.8	12,040	23 00	277,058
Lower Mainland	1914	43,583	2.3	100,241	10 75	1,077,591
Lower Mainland	1915	37,046	2.6	96,320	13 50	1,305,320
Lower Mainland	1916	40,750	2.2	89,650	16 35	1,465,777
Thompson Watershed ..	1914	34,165	2.4	81,996	15 00	1,229,940
Thompson Watershed ..	1915	32,457	2.3	74,651	13 00	970,463
Thompson Watershed ..	1916	23,460	1.9	44,574	15 00	668,610
Central and Northern ..	1914	18,538	2.0	37,072	30 00	1,112,160
Central and Northern ..	1915	22,530	1.7	38,311	18 00	689,598
Central and Northern ..	1916	18,150	1.4	25,422	20 00	508,440
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1914	26,385	2.3	60,685	15 00	910,275
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1915	26,385	2.5	66,462	13 00	864,006
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1916	25,291	1.9	48,053	15 00	720,795
East and West Kootenay ..	1914	5,975	2.7	16,132	20 00	322,640
East and West Kootenay ..	1915	7,469	2.3	17,179	15 00	257,685
East and West Kootenay ..	1916	8,067	1.8	14,520	16 50	239,580
Totals and averages..	1914	137,008	2.3	322,005	\$16 02	\$5,158,416
Totals and averages..	1915	133,504	2.3	309,227	14 10	4,359,240
Totals and averages..	1916	122,419	1.9	234,265	16 56	3,880,260

TABLE No. 4—PRODUCTION OF GRAIN, HAY, AND VEGETABLES, 1914-16—Continued.
HAY (WILD).

District.	Year.	Acres in Crop.	Yield per Acre.	Total Yield.	Price.	Total Value.
			Tons.	Tons.	Ton.	
Islands	1914	280	1.4	392	\$18 50	7,252
Islands	1915	250	1.6	400	16 00	6,400
Islands	1916	250	1.2	300	18 50	5,550
Lower Mainland	1914	1,800	1.3	2,437	8 75	21,490
Lower Mainland	1915	1,705	1.5	2,557	11 50	30,958
Lower Mainland	1916	2,004	1.4	2,806	12 00	34,680
Thompson Watershed ..	1914	2,767	1.2	3,320	11 00	43,190
Thompson Watershed ..	1915	2,750	1.1	3,025	11 00	33,275
Thompson Watershed ..	1916	2,801	1.3	4,336	12 00	52,032
Central and Northern ..	1914	25,211	1.4	35,295	23 00	812,375
Central and Northern ..	1915	31,011	1.4	43,415	16 00	694,640
Central and Northern ..	1916	27,126	0.7	18,988	16 00	303,808
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1914	2,040	0.0	2,646	14 00	37,044
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1915	2,040	1.0	2,940	11 00	32,340
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1916	2,881	1.8	5,195	11 00	57,035
East and West Kootenay ..	1914	673	1.6	1,080	16 00	17,280
East and West Kootenay ..	1915	650	1.2	760	12 00	9,120
East and West Kootenay ..	1916	650	1.2	760	12 75	9,745
Totals and averages ..	1914	33,763	1.3	45,100	\$22 32	\$1,008,610
Totals and averages ..	1915	39,306	1.4	53,232	15 17	807,753
Totals and averages ..	1916	35,862	0.9	32,479	14 26	463,050

FODDER CORN.

			Tons.	Tons.	Ton.	
Islands	1914	180	11.6	2,088	\$5 00	\$10,440
Islands	1915	225	12.0	2,700	5 00	13,500
Islands	1916	554	12.0	6,648	3 65	24,265
Lower Mainland	1914	500	10.0	5,000	5 00	25,000
Lower Mainland	1915	1,000	12.0	12,000	5 00	60,000
Lower Mainland	1916	1,250	12.5	15,625	3 65	57,031
Thompson Watershed ..	1914	53	8.0	449	5 00	2,200
Thompson Watershed ..	1915	80	9.0	720	5 00	3,600
Thompson Watershed ..	1916	75	8.6	645	5 60	3,612
Central and Northern ..	1914	....	....	....	....	....
Central and Northern ..	1915	....	....	....	....	....
Central and Northern ..	1916	....	....	....	....	....
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1914	165	4.0	660	5 00	3,300
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1915	350	10.0	3,500	5 00	17,500
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1916	500	9.3	4,650	5 50	25,575
East and West Kootenay ..	1914	20	10.0	200	5 00	1,000
East and West Kootenay ..	1915	50	11.0	550	5 00	2,750
East and West Kootenay ..	1916	55	5.0	275	5 50	1,512
Totals and averages ..	1914	920	9.12	8,388	\$5 00	\$ 41,040
Totals and averages ..	1915	1,705	11.42	19,470	5 00	97,350
Totals and averages ..	1916	2,434	11.44	27,843	4 00	111,095

KALE AND RAPE.

			Tons.	Tons.	Ton.	
Islands	1914	25	38.0	950	\$4 00	\$ 3,800
Islands	1915	31	35.0	1,085	4 00	4,340
Islands	1916	81	18.0	1,458	4 00	5,832
Lower Mainland	1914	30	38.0	1,182	4 00	5,928
Lower Mainland	1915	45	35.0	1,575	4 00	6,300
Lower Mainland	1916	132	35.5	4,686	4 25	19,915
Thompson Watershed ..	1914	....	....	....	....	....
Thompson Watershed ..	1915	....	....	....	....	....
Thompson Watershed ..	1916	....	....	....	....	....
Central and Northern ..	1914	....	....	....	....	....
Central and Northern ..	1915	....	....	....	....	....
Central and Northern ..	1916	....	....	....	....	....
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1914	....	....	....	....	....
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1915	....	....	....	....	....
Okanagan and Boundary ..	1916	....	....	....	....	....
East and West Kootenay ..	1914	....	....	....	....	....
East and West Kootenay ..	1915	....	....	....	....	....
East and West Kootenay ..	1916	....	....	....	....	....
Totals and averages ..	1914	64	38.0	2,432	\$4 00	\$ 9,728
Totals and averages ..	1915	76	35.0	2,660	4 00	10,640
Totals and averages ..	1916	213	28.8	6,144	4 19	25,747

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TABLE No. 4—PRODUCTION OF GRAIN, HAY, AND VEGETABLES, 1914-16—Continued.
POTATOES.

District.	Year.	Acres in Crop.	Yield per Acre.	Total Yield.	Price.	Total Value.
			Tons.	Tons.	Ton.	
Islands	1914	700	8.0	5,600	\$22 00	\$ 132,000
Islands	1915	750	6.0	4,500	23 00	103,500
Islands	1916	800	5.0	4,000	25 00	100,000
Lower Mainland	1914	6,300	8.0	50,400	22 00	1,108,800
Lower Mainland	1915	5,357	8.2	43,927	21 00	923,477
Lower Mainland	1916	4,630	7.3	33,799	25 00	844,975
Thompson Watershed	1914	1,503	4.6	6,914	23 28	160,820
Thompson Watershed	1915	1,912	8.0	15,296	22 00	336,512
Thompson Watershed	1916	1,900	6.3	11,970	27 00	323,190
Central and Northern	1914	713	0.8	569	31 00	174,860
Central and Northern	1915	1,138	6.4	7,272	23 00	167,210
Central and Northern	1916	786	3.0	2,358	45 00	106,215
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	2,050	3.8	7,790	22 00	171,220
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	3,150	5.0	15,750	19 00	300,250
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	2,700	5.0	13,500	22 00	297,000
East and West Kootenay	1914	1,241	4.0	4,964	25 50	126,582
East and West Kootenay	1915	1,650	4.0	6,600	23 00	151,800
East and West Kootenay	1916	1,452	4.8	6,969	23 00	160,287
Totals and averages ..	1914	13,946	6.27	85,542	\$22 82	\$1,952,310
Totals and averages ..	1915	13,953	5.54	77,272	21 27	1,643,248
Totals and averages ..	1916	12,087	6.03	72,700	25 37	1,844,612

ROOTS.

			Tons.	Tons.	Ton.	
Islands	1914	201	27.3	7,044	\$11 00	\$ 87,384
Islands	1915	308	12.0	3,696	13 00	48,048
Islands	1916	408	17.0	6,936	11 50	81,167
Lower Mainland	1914	1,101	24.9	27,415	14 00	383,810
Lower Mainland	1915	1,150	17.0	19,550	11 00	215,050
Lower Mainland	1916	1,225	23.6	28,910	11 50	332,465
Thompson Watershed	1914	111	11.1	1,232	10 00	12,320
Thompson Watershed	1915	111	20.0	2,220	10 00	22,200
Thompson Watershed	1916	125	12.0	1,500	15 00	22,500
Central and Northern	1914	753	10.0	7,530	13 00	97,890
Central and Northern	1915	630	6.0	3,780	13 00	49,140
Central and Northern	1916	114	9.0	1,026	18 00	18,468
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	125	11.5	1,438	14 00	20,132
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	168	10.0	1,680	14 00	23,520
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	151	8.0	1,208	22 50	27,180
East and West Kootenay	1914	254	10.0	2,540	15 00	38,100
East and West Kootenay	1915	338	15.5	5,239	15 00	78,585
Totals and averages ..	1914	1,768	21.00	38,825	\$10 80	\$410,502
Totals and averages ..	1915	2,680	13.72	36,806	11 03	406,202
Totals and averages ..	1916	2,003	10.05	48,333	12 05	581,505

MARKET-GARDEN.

			Tons.	Tons.	Ton.	
Islands	1914	190	10.4	1,976	\$30 00	\$ 59,280
Islands	1915	250	10.0	2,500	30 00	75,000
Islands	1916	275	7.8	2,145	32 50	69,712
Lower Mainland	1914	935	8.0	7,480	31 00	231,880
Lower Mainland	1915	1,020	8.0	8,160	30 00	244,800
Lower Mainland	1916	1,006	6.4	6,438	32 50	210,435
Thompson Watershed	1914	107	6.2	663	25 00	16,575
Thompson Watershed	1915	107	8.0	856	23 00	19,688
Thompson Watershed	1916	140	4.5	630	26 00	16,380
Central and Northern	1914	392	7.6	2,979	40 00	119,160
Central and Northern	1915	410	8.0	3,280	30 00	98,400
Central and Northern	1916	301	3.2	963	45 00	43,335
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	317	7.5	2,377	33 00	78,441
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	267	7.5	2,002	40 00	80,080
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	261	10.2	2,662	30 00	79,860
East and West Kootenay	1914	80	7.5	600	30 00	18,000
East and West Kootenay	1915	80	9.0	720	30 00	21,600
East and West Kootenay	1916	72	12.0	864	30 00	25,920
Totals and averages ..	1914	2,028	7.94	16,128	\$32 77	\$528,456
Totals and averages ..	1915	2,134	8.2	17,518	30 80	539,568
Totals and averages ..	1916	2,145	6.57	14,086	34 50	485,042

TABLE No. 4—PRODUCTION OF GRAIN, HAY, AND VEGETABLES, 1914-16—Continued.
OTHER VEGETABLES.

District.	Year.	Acres in Crop.	Yield per Total	Total Yield.	Price.	Total Value.
			Tons.	Tons.	Ton.	
Islands	1914	30	15.0	585	\$13 00	\$ 7,605
Islands	1915	54	14.0	756	15 00	11,340
Islands	1916	107	7.0	749	18 00	13,482
Lower Mainland	1914	100	18.0	1,800	20 00	21,200
Lower Mainland	1915	90	10.0	900	15 00	13,500
Lower Mainland	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1914	67	6.0	402	20 00	8,040
Thompson Watershed	1915	67	8.0	536	18 00	9,648
Thompson Watershed	1916	80	6.0	480	20 00	9,600
Central and Northern	1914	661	0.5	4,200	25 00	105,000
Central and Northern	1915	750	7.5	5,625	25 00	140,625
Central and Northern	1916	600	3.8	2,280	33 00	75,240
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	387*	0.2	2,300	30 00	69,000
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	807	8.0	6,456	15 00	96,840
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	304	12.0	4,084	30 00	122,520
East and West Kootenay	1914	50†	9.0	450	20 00	9,000
East and West Kootenay	1915	50	10.0	500	22 00	11,000
East and West Kootenay	1916	45	12.0	540	22 00	11,880
Totals and averages ..	1914	1,310	7.02	9,192	\$25 26	\$232,211
Totals and averages ..	1915	1,818	8.1	14,773	19 15	282,953
Totals and averages ..	1916	1,295	7.2	9,285	20 15	270,530

* Mostly onions and celery.

† Cabbage.

RHUBARB.

			Tons.	Tons.	Ton.	
Islands	1914	3.0	5.5	20	\$55 00	\$ 1,100
Islands	1915	3.0	3.4	12 1/4	95 00	1,164
Islands	1916	20	4.0	98	60 00	5,880
Lower Mainland	1914	105	4.2	355	35 00	12,425
Lower Mainland	1915	125*	5.0	405	37 50	15,187
Lower Mainland	1916	121	3.6	436	17 50	7,630
Thompson Watershed	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals and averages ..	1914	108.6	4.23	375	\$36 07	\$13,525
Totals and averages ..	1915	129.6	4.0	417 1/4	30 21	16,351
Totals and averages ..	1916	141	3.8	534	25 30	13,510

* Forty-five acres non-bearing.

TOMATOES.

			Crates.	Crates.	Crate.	
Islands	1914	1 1/4	800	1,000	\$1 10	\$ 1,100
Islands	1915	.....	.....	18,450*	2 00	36,900
Islands	1916	.....	.....	22,682*	2 25	50,989
Lower Mainland	1914	10	800	8,000	18 1/2	1,440
Lower Mainland	1915	.....	.....	11,450	2 00	22,900
Lower Mainland	1916	.....	.....	10,050	2 00	20,100
Thompson Watershed	1914	22	606	15,312	14 1/2	2,144
Thompson Watershed	1915	30	240	7,200	30	2,160
Thompson Watershed	1916	18	800	12,800	39	4,992
Central and Northern	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	450	506	254,700	28 1/2	72,844
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	290	640	166,400	40	66,560
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	338	550	188,942	48	90,692
East and West Kootenay	1914	44	650	28,600	35	10,010
East and West Kootenay	1915	35	700	24,500	50	12,250
East and West Kootenay	1916	43	361	15, 73	66	10,245
Totals and averages ..	1914	527 1/4	583.7	307,612	\$0 28 1/2	\$ 87,538
Totals and averages ..	1915	542	.....	228,000	61 7-10	140,770
Totals and averages ..	1916	.....	.....	249,977	70 1/2	177,018

* Includes greenhouse tomatoes.

† Cannery prices.

TABLE No. 4 PRODUCTION OF GRAIN, HAY, AND VEGETABLES, 1914-16—Continued.

HORN

District.	Year.	Acres in Crop.	Yield per Acre.	Total Yield.	Price.	Total Value.
			Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	
Islands	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lower Mainland	1914	611	1,544	967,824	\$0 24	\$234,278
Lower Mainland	1915	611	1,408	860,580	16%	143,430
Lower Mainland	1916	585	1,930	1,134,315	23	260,892
Thompson Watershed	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals and averages ..	1914	611	1,544	967,824	\$0 24	\$234,278
Totals and averages ..	1915	611	1,408	860,580	16%	143,430
Totals and averages ..	1916	585	1,930	1,134,315	23	260,892

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			Tons.	Tons.	Ton	
Islands	1914					
Islands	1915					
Islands	1916	13	3.1	40	\$23 00	\$ 1,058
Lower Mainland	1914					
Lower Mainland	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lower Mainland	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1916	4,578	2.7	12,360	15 00	185,400
Central and Northern	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern	1916	450	2.0	900	35 00	1,500
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	548	2.7	1,479	14 00	20,708
East and West Kootenay	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1915	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals and averages ..	1914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals and averages ..	1915					
Totals and averages ..	1916	5,561	2.64	14,785	\$16 14	\$238,664

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			Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	
East and West Kootenay	1916	50	6.1	305	\$2 60	\$793

TABLE No. 4—PRODUCTION OF GRAIN, HAY, AND VEGETABLES, 1914-16—Continued.
CULTIVATED PASTURE.

District.	Year.	Acres.	Value per 6 Months.	Total Value.
Islands	1914	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1915	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1916	.....	.....	.....
Lower Mainland	1914	3,309	\$12 00	\$ 39,708
Lower Mainland	1915	30,507	11 50	350,830
Lower Mainland	1916	13,728	11 50	157,872
Lower Mainland	1916	16,101	12 00	193,212
Thompson Watershed	1914	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1915	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1916	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern	1914	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern	1915	.....	.....	.....
Central and Northern	1916	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1914	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1915	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1916	.....	.....	.....
Totals and averages	1914	30,507	\$11 50	\$350,830
Totals and averages	1915	13,728	11 50	157,872
Totals and averages	1916	16,308	12 00	210,630

TABLE No. 5—TOTAL PRODUCTION OF FRUIT, YEARS 1914-15-16.

The following statement includes shipments, local consumption, and canned fruits.

APPLES.

District.	Year.	Packages.	Average Price.	Value.
Islands	1914	27,740	\$0 00	\$ 24,971
Islands	1915	27,745	95	26,358
Islands	1916	49,813	90	62,832
Lower Mainland	1914	2,807	93	13,771
Lower Mainland	1915	200	85	39,770
Lower Mainland	1916	31,833	95	30,241
Thompson Watershed	1914	90,213	77½	46,955
Thompson Watershed	1915	17,001	1 00	17,001
Thompson Watershed	1916	24,000	1 20	28,800
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	539,840	75	404,880
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	721,054	1 04	749,000
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	1,103,118	1 03	1,139,475
East and West Kootenay	1914	42,234	80	83,787
East and West Kootenay	1915	56,255	1 03	58,913
East and West Kootenay	1916	61,216	85	62,034
Totals and averages	1914	684,840	\$0 76½	\$ 524,074
Totals and averages	1915	857,860	1 03	883,505
Totals and averages	1916	1,289,980	1 02	1,313,382

CRAB-APPLES.

Islands	1914	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1915	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1916	.....	.....	.....
Lower Mainland	1914	.....	.....	.....
Lower Mainland	1915	.....	.....	.....
Lower Mainland	1916	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1914	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1915	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1916	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	58,946	\$1 00	\$ 58,946
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	101,207	99	100,104
East and West Kootenay	1914	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1915	1,982	90	1,784
East and West Kootenay	1916	1,417	96	1,354
Totals and averages	1914	.....	.....	.....
Totals and averages	1915	60,928	\$1 00	\$ 60,928
Totals and averages	1916	102,617	99	101,458

TABLE No. 5—TOTAL PRODUCTION OF FRUIT, YEARS 1914-15-16—Continued.
PEARS.

District.	Year.	Packages.	Average Price.	Value.
Islands	1914	850	\$1 10	\$ 935
Islands	1915	1,763	1 20	2,140
Islands	1916	7,633	1 25	9,541
Lower Mainland	1914	2,101	1 15	2,416
Lower Mainland	1915	3,708	97	3,604
Lower Mainland	1916	7,366	1 20	8,839
Thompson Watershed	1914	1,030	1 26	1,300
Thompson Watershed	1915	642	2 00	1,284
Thompson Watershed	1916	311	1 85	429
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	23,337	1 25	29,171
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	29,000	1 45	42,000
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	24,235	1 74	42,265
East and West Kootenay	1914	1,403	1 34	1,883
East and West Kootenay	1915	2,400	1 26	3,100
East and West Kootenay	1916	2,213	1 51	3,342
Totals and averages	1914	28,700	\$1 24	\$35,780
Totals and averages	1915	39,000	1 37	52,182
Totals and averages	1916	41,758	1 54	64,407

PLUMS AND PRUNES.

Islands	1914	3,000	\$0 65	\$ 1,950
Islands	1915	4,405	65	2,863
Islands	1916	16,788	55	9,233
Lower Mainland	1914	16,003	56	9,516
Lower Mainland	1915	24,808	60	14,880
Lower Mainland	1916	42,023	55	23,112
Thompson Watershed	1914	4,000	57	2,300
Thompson Watershed	1915	4,657	65	3,027
Thompson Watershed	1916	400	80	320
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	170,927	43	73,499
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	193,786	46	89,142
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	197,308	70%	139,373
East and West Kootenay	1914	5,303	53	2,811
East and West Kootenay	1915	10,018	57	6,052
East and West Kootenay	1916	10,311	60	7,115
Totals and averages	1914	290,273	\$0 45	\$ 130,083
Totals and averages	1915	298,364	48%	115,007
Totals and averages	1916	297,030	67	170,153

PEACHES.

Islands	1914	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1915	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1916	.....	.....	.....
Lower Mainland	1914	281	\$1 00	\$ 281
Lower Mainland	1915	.....	.....	.....
Lower Mainland	1916	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1914	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1915	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1916	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	112,432	43	48,346
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	157,258	50	78,629
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	119,848	62%	74,981
East and West Kootenay	1914	807	70	565
East and West Kootenay	1915	1,065	97	1,033
East and West Kootenay	1916	1,395	90	1,255
Totals and averages	1914	113,329	\$0 43 3-10	\$49,028
Totals and averages	1915	158,323	50%	79,680
Totals and averages	1916	121,524	63	76,519

TABLE No. 5—TOTAL PRODUCTION OF FRUIT, YEARS 1914-15-16—Continued.

APRICOTS.

District.	Year.	Packages.	Average Price.	Value.
Islands	1914	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1915	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1916	.....	.....	.....
Lower Mainland	1914	.....	.....	.....
Lower Mainland	1915	.....	.....	.....
Lower Mainland	1916	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1914	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1915	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1916	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	40,043	\$0 57	\$23,338
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	63,630	57	36,269
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	21,841	65	14,145
East and West Kootenay	1914	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1915	618	99	612
East and West Kootenay	1916	128	1 20	153
Totals and averages	1914	40,043	\$0 57	\$23,338
Totals and averages	1915	64,248	57½	36,835
Totals and averages	1916	21,960	65	14,298

CHERRIES.

Islands	1914	2,500	\$1 70	\$ 4,250
Islands	1915	6,873	1 00	6,873
Islands	1916	8,166	1 00	8,166
Lower Mainland	1914	1,050	1 32	2,574
Lower Mainland	1915	2,475	1 17	2,896
Lower Mainland	1916	1,482	1 20	1,778
Thompson Watershed	1914	920	1 51	1,389
Thompson Watershed	1915	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1916	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	20,710	1 07	22,160
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	33,606	1 13	38,043
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	26,892	1 43	38,206
East and West Kootenay	1914	7,292	1 33	9,698
East and West Kootenay	1915	2,146	1 09	2,339
East and West Kootenay	1916	5,527	1 65	9,120
Totals and averages	1914	33,372	\$1 20	\$40,071
Totals and averages	1915	45,160	1 11	50,128
Totals and averages	1916	42,067	1 36	57,272

STRAWBERRIES.

Islands	1914	32,486	\$1 60	\$51,978
Islands	1915	47,769	1 95	93,150
Islands	1916	42,374	1 92	81,358
Lower Mainland	1914	11,155	1 73	19,308
Lower Mainland	1915	20,962	1 79	37,522
Lower Mainland	1916	33,261	1 69	56,111
Thompson Watershed	1914	2,145	2 13	4,560
Thompson Watershed	1915	850	1 60	1,360
Thompson Watershed	1916	500	1 98	990
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	9,595	1 75	16,791
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	5,035	2 10	10,573
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	6,794	2 16	14,655
East and West Kootenay	1914	26,421	1 62	42,802
East and West Kootenay	1915	29,650	1 78	52,777
East and West Kootenay	1916	32,154	1 48	47,588
Totals and averages	1914	81,802	\$1 66	\$135,438
Totals and averages	1915	104,266	1 87	194,977
Totals and averages	1916	115,083	1 71½	200,802

TABLE No. 5—TOTAL PRODUCTION OF FRUIT, YEARS 1914-15-16—Continued.

RASPBERRIES.

District.	Year.	Packages.	Average Price.	Value.
Islands	1914	500	\$1 75	\$ 875
Islands	1915	561	1 75	982
Islands	1916	1,767	1 85	3,269
Lower Mainland	1914	24,498	1 59	38,952
Lower Mainland	1915	52,775	1 60	80,190
Lower Mainland	1916	50,049	1 16	65,017
Thompson Watershed	1914	1,002	2 20	2,402
Thompson Watershed	1915	690	1 60	1,008
Thompson Watershed	1916	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	3,594	1 60	5,606
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	3,595	1 99	7,155
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	10,428	1 60	16,658
East and West Kootenay	1914	7,366	1 75	12,890
East and West Kootenay	1915	8,328	1 77	14,741
East and West Kootenay	1916	7,934	1 61	12,774
Totals and averages	1914	36,060	\$1 64	\$ 60,725
Totals and averages	1915	65,889	1 72	112,329
Totals and averages	1916	76,178	1 28	97,718

BLACKBERRIES.

Islands	1914	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1915	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1916	474	\$1 40	\$ 664
Lower Mainland	1914	9,884	1 22	12,058
Lower Mainland	1915	16,960	1 56	26,467
Lower Mainland	1916	16,419	1 90	31,196
Thompson Watershed	1914	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1915	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1916	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	143	1 23	176
East and West Kootenay	1914	524	1 70	891
East and West Kootenay	1915	418	2 06	861
East and West Kootenay	1916	500	1 72	860
Totals and averages	1914	10,408	\$1 24	\$12,940
Totals and averages	1915	17,384	1 57	27,297
Totals and averages	1916	17,536	1 87½	32,896

LOGANBERRIES.

Islands	1914	1,332	\$1 50	\$1,998
Islands	1915	1,620	1 50	2,430
Islands	1916	4,645	1 15	5,342
Lower Mainland	1914	425	1 60	705
Lower Mainland	1915	1,124	1 55	1,742
Lower Mainland	1916	1,001	1 80	1,802
Thompson Watershed	1914	300	2 44	732
Thompson Watershed	1915	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1916	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	1,060	1 65	1,762
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1914	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1915	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1916	300	2 45	735
Totals and averages	1914	2,057	\$1 67	\$3,435
Totals and averages	1915	3,824	1 56	5,965
Totals and averages	1916	5,946	1 33	7,879

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TABLE No. 5—TOTAL PRODUCTION OF FRUIT, YEARS 1914-1916—*Concluded.*
BUSH-FRUIT.

District.	Year.	Packages.	Average Price.	Value.
Islands	1914	2,535	\$1 86	\$ 4,715
Islands	1915	1,723	1 67	2,877
Islands	1916	.....	.....	.....
Lower Mainland	1914	3,280	1 92	6,298
Lower Mainland	1915	5,747	1 76	10,115
Lower Mainland	1916	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1914	465	1 91	869
Thompson Watershed	1915	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1916	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	3,875	1 19	4,611
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1914	5,736	1 48	8,489
East and West Kootenay	1915	2,885	1 44	4,154
East and West Kootenay	1916	.....	.....	.....
Totals and averages	1914	12,006	\$1 70	\$20,371
Totals and averages	1915	14,230	1 53	21,772
Totals and averages	1916	.....	.....	.....

NOTE.—In 1914 Salmon Arm included in Thompson Watershed District. For subsequent years shown in Okanagan and Boundary District.

GRAPES.

Islands	1914	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1915	.....	.....	.....
Islands	1916	.....	.....	.....
Lower Mainland	1914	.....	.....	.....
Lower Mainland	1915	.....	.....	.....
Lower Mainland	1916	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1914	200	\$1 00	\$200
Thompson Watershed	1915	.....	.....	.....
Thompson Watershed	1916	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1914	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1915	600	95	570
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1914	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1915	.....	.....	.....
East and West Kootenay	1916	.....	.....	.....
Totals and averages	1914	800	\$0 96	\$770
Totals and averages	1915	.....	.....	.....
Totals and averages	1916	.....	.....	.....

RED CURRANTS.

Islands	1916	619	\$1 50	\$ 928
Lower Mainland	1916	790	1 75	1,382
Thompson Watershed	1916	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	648	1 25	810
East and West Kootenay	1916	406	95	471
Totals and averages	1916	2,553	\$1 40 1/4	\$3,501

BLACK CURRANTS.

Islands	1916	880	\$1 00	\$1,680
Lower Mainland	1916	4,274	2 20	9,403
Thompson Watershed	1916	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	1,416	1 25	1,770
East and West Kootenay	1916	869	1 58	1,373
Totals and averages	1916	7,448	\$1 91	\$14,255

GOOSEBERRIES.

Islands	1916	3,043	\$1 60	\$4,868
Lower Mainland	1916	3,142	2 00	6,284
Thompson Watershed	1916	.....	.....	.....
Okanagan and Boundary	1916	594	1 34	796
East and West Kootenay	1916	723	.....	1,084
Totals and averages	1916	7,502	\$1 74	\$13,032

TABLE No. 6—CARS OF FRUIT PRODUCED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA, YEARS 1913-16.

Description.	Year.	Islands	Lower Mainland.	Thompson Watershed.	Okanagan and Boundary.	East and West Kootenay.	Total Cars.
Apples	1913	33.0	17.0	65.5	870.5	61.1	847.1
Apples	1914	46.2	24.7	100.4	899.7	70.4	1,141.4
Apples	1915	40.7	94.0	31.5	1,390.1	102.3	1,638.5
Apples	1916	125.1	57.0	43.0	1,076.8	109.7	2,311.6
Crab-apples	1913	...	...	...	...	...	...
Crab-apples	1914	...	...	...	...	...	...
Crab-apples	1915	...	...	...	...	...	...
Crab-apples	1916	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pears	1913	1.7	22.0	0.5	181.3	2.5	183.8
Pears	1914	1.4	3.5	1.7	17.0	2.5	24.6
Pears	1915	3.3	7.1	1.2	38.0	2.4	47.9
Pears	1916	14.3	13.8	0.6	55.1	4.7	71.4
Peaches	1913	...	0.2	...	45.4	4.1	78.2
Peaches	1914	...	...	...	118.8	1.3	120.3
Peaches	1915	...	...	...	112.4	0.9	113.3
Peaches	1916	0.3	...	...	141.5	1.0	142.5
Plums and prunes	1913	1.8	16.3	2.3	107.9	1.3	109.5
Plums and prunes	1914	3.0	17.0	4.0	115.2	3.1	138.7
Plums and prunes	1915	4.4	24.0	4.7	170.0	5.3	200.2
Plums and prunes	1916	15.7	30.2	0.4	103.8	10.6	238.4
Apricots	1913	...	...	...	184.3	9.6	240.2
Apricots	1914	...	...	...	14.9	0.5	15.4
Apricots	1915	...	...	...	40.9	...	40.9
Apricots	1916	...	...	...	66.8	0.6	67.4
Cherries	1913	1.4	2.0	0.1	22.9	0.1	23.0
Cherries	1914	2.5	1.1	0.1	10.5	1.5	16.4
Cherries	1915	5.5	2.0	...	20.7	7.2	31.6
Cherries	1916	6.5	1.2	...	26.9	1.7	36.1
Total tree-fruits	1913	37.9	39.3	68.4	946.9	70.0	1,162.5
Total tree-fruits	1914	53.1	46.3	106.2	1,283.5	86.2	1,575.3
Total tree-fruits	1915	62.9	98.0	37.4	1,874.2	120.0	2,194.3
Total tree-fruits	1916	161.0	111.2	44.0	2,540.1	131.7	2,988.0
Strawberries	1913	25.0	11.7	1.0	5.2	23.4	66.3
Strawberries	1914	54.1	18.6	3.6	16.0	44.0	136.3
Strawberries	1915	43.0	18.9	0.8	2.5	26.7	91.0
Strawberries	1916	38.1	29.9	0.4	6.1	28.9	103.4
Raspberries	1913	2.7	30.1	0.6	4.0	6.2	43.6
Raspberries	1914	0.5	24.5	1.1	3.5	7.4	37.0
Raspberries	1915	0.3	36.9	0.4	2.5	5.8	45.9
Raspberries	1916	1.2	39.2	...	7.3	5.6	53.3
Blackberries	1913	0.2	13.6	...	...	...	13.2
Blackberries	1914	...	9.9	...	...	0.5	10.4
Blackberries	1915	...	11.9	...	...	0.3	12.2
Blackberries	1916	0.3	11.5	...	0.1	0.4	12.3
Loganberries	1913	...	0.4	...	...	...	2.0
Loganberries	1914	1.3	0.0	0.3	...	...	3.0
Loganberries	1915	1.3	0.0	...	0.8	...	3.0
Loganberries	1916	3.7	0.0	...	...	0.2	4.8
Bush-fruits	1913	...	2.4	...	...	2.1	4.5
Bush-fruits	1914	2.6	2.3	0.5	...	5.7	12.1
Bush-fruits	1915	7.6	5.2	...	3.5	2.6	12.9
Bush-fruits	1916	4.1	7.3	...	2.4	1.9	15.7
Grapes	1913	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grapes	1914	...	...	0.2	0.6	...	0.8
Grapes	1915	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grapes	1916	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total small fruits	1913	27.9	57.2	1.6	9.2	31.7	127.6
Total small fruits	1914	58.5	56.7	5.7	20.1	57.6	198.6
Total small fruits	1915	46.2	73.8	1.2	9.3	35.4	165.9
Total small fruits	1916	47.4	88.8	0.4	15.9	37.0	189.5
Total all fruits	1913	65.8	96.5	70.0	956.1	101.7	1,290.1
Total all fruits	1914	111.6	103.0	111.9	1,303.6	143.8	1,773.9
Total all fruits	1915	109.1	172.7	38.6	1,883.5	156.3	2,360.2
Total all fruits	1916	200.3	200.0	44.4	2,556.0	165.7	3,178.4

1914—Net weight per crate, 24 lb.; subsequent years, 18 lb.

N.B.—1914—Salmon Arm included in Thompson Watershed District; subsequent years included in Okanagan and Boundary District. 1913—Cars figured on basis of packages: Apples and pears, 550; balance, 1,000. 1914—Cars figured on basis of packages: Apples, pears, and strawberries, 600; balance, 1,000. 1915 and 1916—Cars figured on basis of minimum car weight: Apples, crab-apples, and pears, 12 tons; balance, 16 tons per car.

TABLE No. 7—FRUIT PRODUCTION, BRITISH COLUMBIA (TONS AND VALUE), YEARS 1915-16.

Description.	Year.	Quantity.	Value.
		Tons.	
Apples	1915	18,444	\$ 883,595
Apples	1916	27,789	1,313,382
Crab-apples	1915	1,219	60,028
Crab-apples	1916	2,206	101,459
Pears	1915	867	52,182
Pears	1916	938	64,407
Plums and prunes	1915	2,384	115,607
Plums and prunes	1916	2,492	179,153
Peaches	1915	1,425	79,889
Peaches	1916	1,095	76,519
Apricots	1915	675	36,835
Apricots	1916	230	14,298
Cherries	1915	361	50,128
Cherries	1916	330	57,272
Strawberries	1915	938	194,977
Strawberries	1916	1,034	200,802
Raspberries	1915	461	113,329
Raspberries	1916	533	97,718
Blackberries	1915	122	27,293
Blackberries	1916	123	32,806
Loganberries	1915	31	5,965
Loganberries	1916	46	7,879
Bush-fruits	1915	128	21,772
Bush-fruits	1916	157	30,878
Totals	1915	27,045	*1,642,300
Totals	1916	36,931	1,76,662
Per cent. increase 1916 over 1915		36.6	32.5

TABLE No. 8—SMALL-FRUIT ACREAGE AND YIELD, BRITISH COLUMBIA, TO END OF YEAR 1916.

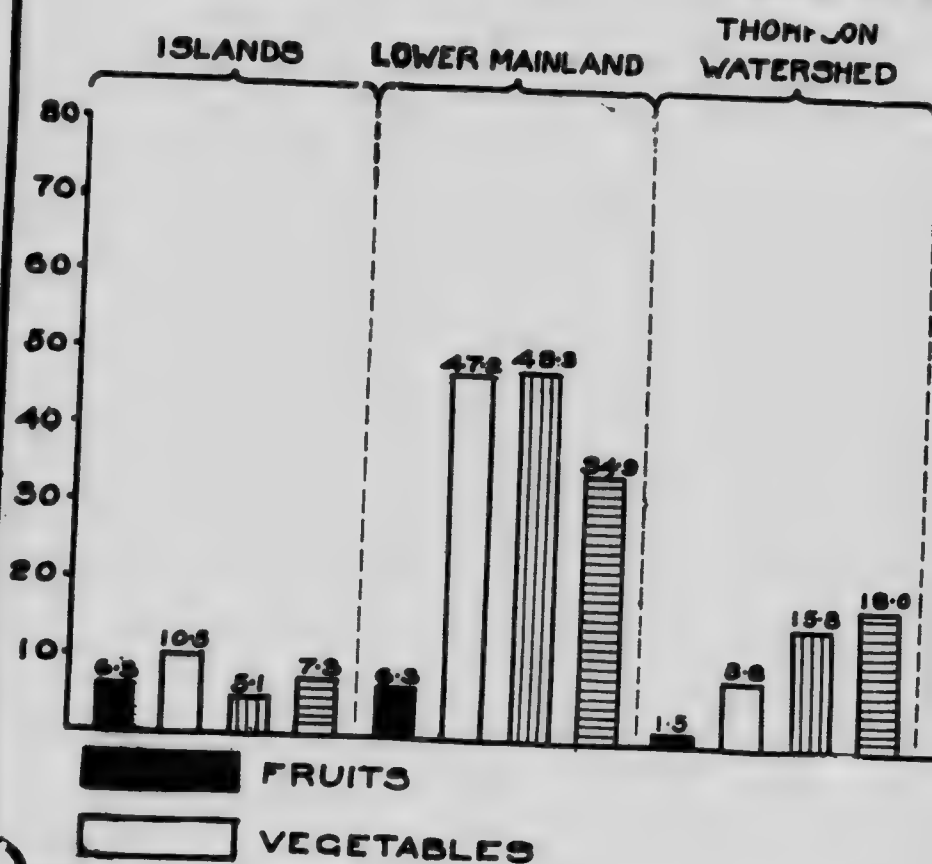
STRAWBERRIES.

District.	Acres. 1915.	Acres. 1916.	Total Acres.	Total Crates.
South Vancouver Island	134.5	129.8	264.3	...
North Vancouver and Gulf Islands	12.0	3.5	15.5	...
Total Islands	146.5	133.3	279.8	42,374
Delta to Hammond	78.1	34.0	112.1	...
Mission to Chilliwack	49.8	49.6	99.4	...
Total Lower Mainland	127.9	83.6	211.5	33,261
Salmon Arm to Penticton	25.7	5.0	30.6	4,444
Boundary	13.9	...	13.9	2,350
Kootenays	157.8	63.2	221.0	32,154
Grand Totals	471.8	289.0	760.8	114,583

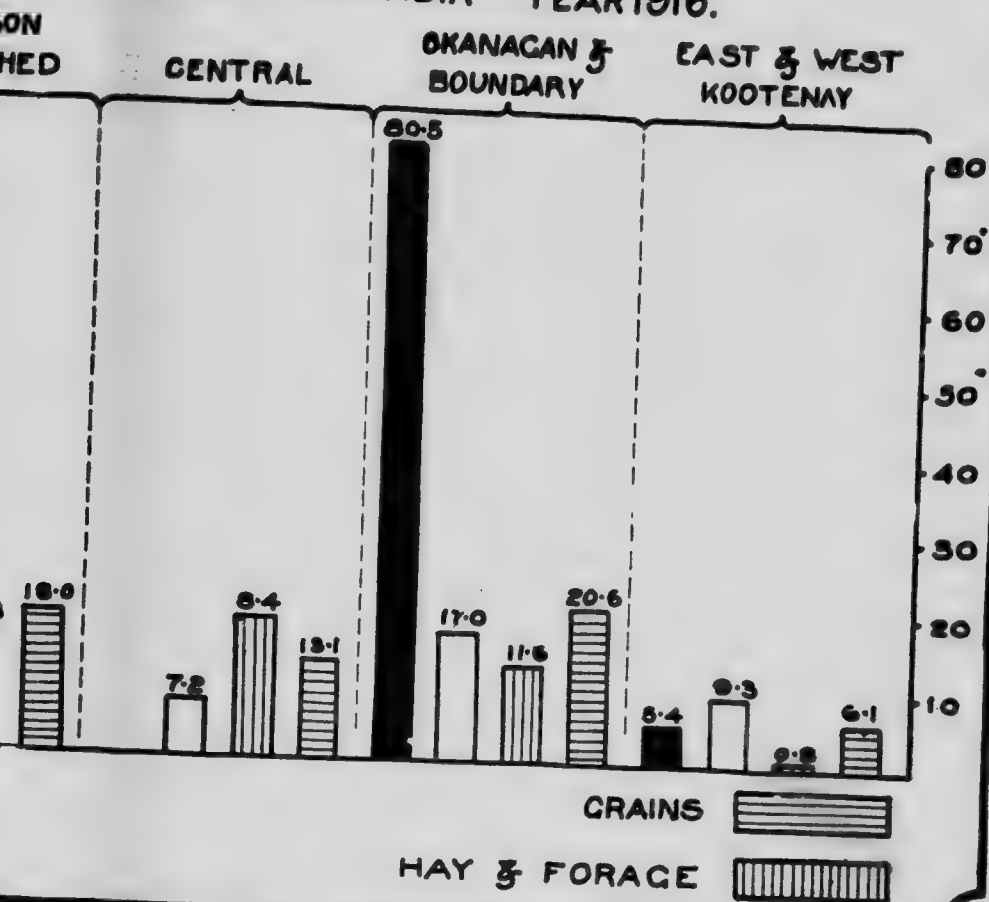
RASPBERRIES.

South Vancouver Island	3.3	...	3.3	...
North Vancouver and Gulf Islands	2.0	1.6	3.6	...
Total Islands	5.3	1.6	6.9	1,767
Delta to Hammond	56.2	32.6	88.8	...
Mission to Chilliwack	211.0	51.0	262.0	...
Total Lower Mainland	267.2	83.6	350.8	56,049
Salmon Arm to Penticton	41.0	5.8	46.8	9,253
Boundary	4.5	...	4.5	1,175
Kootenays	46.7	10.4	57.1	7,934
Grand Totals	364.7	101.6	466.3	76,178

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CROP YIELDS (in weight) BY DISTRICTS, of the of BRITISH COLUMBIA YEAR 1916.



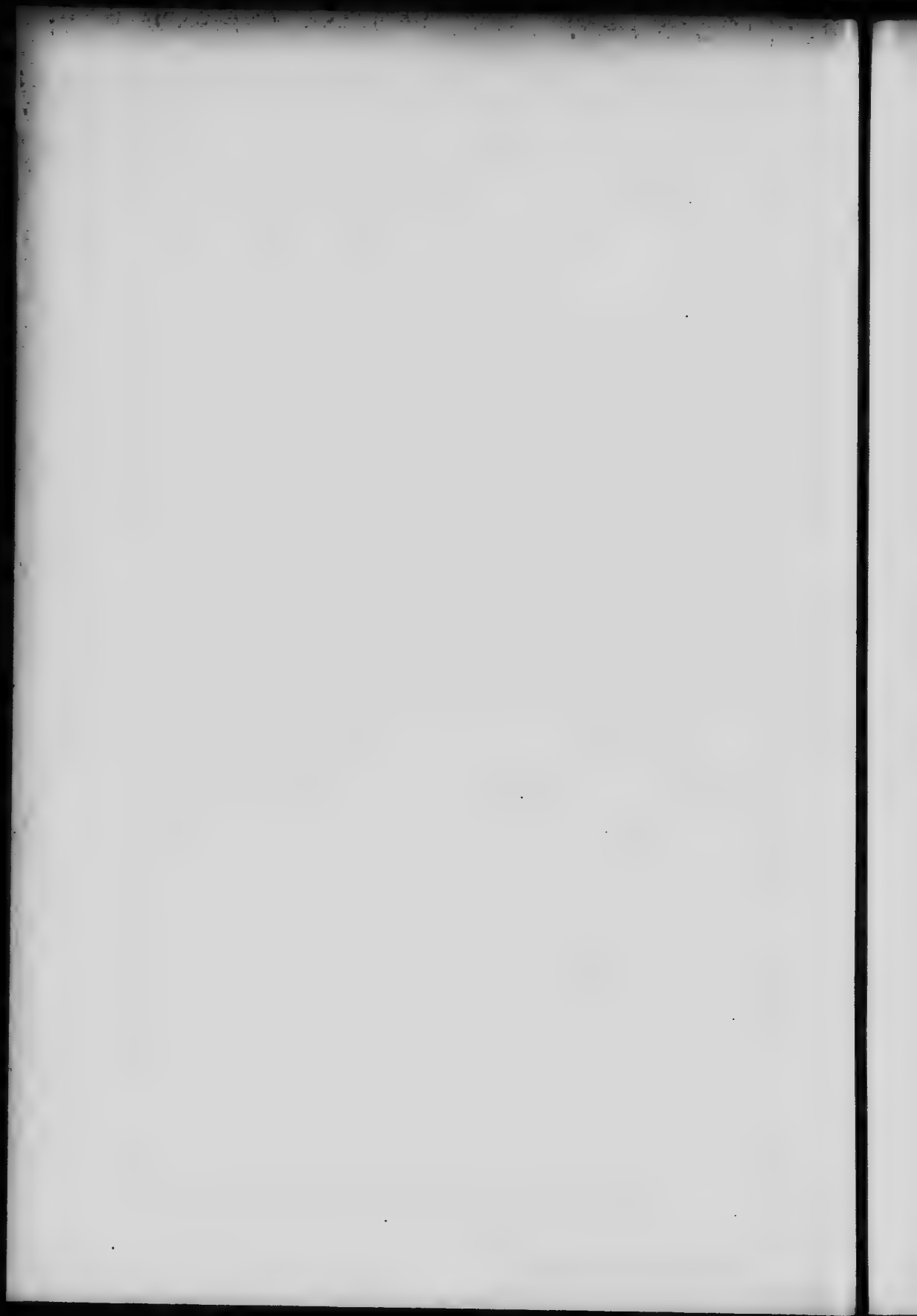


TABLE No. 8—SMALL-FRUIT ACREAGE AND YIELD, BRITISH COLUMBIA, TO END OF YEAR 1916—Continued.

BLACKBERRIES.

District.	Acres. 1915.	Acres. 1916.	Total Acres.	Total Crates.
South Vancouver Island.....	0.6	0.3	0.9	...
North Vancouver and Gulf Islands.....	0.1	0.5	0.6	...
Total Islands.....	0.7	0.8	1.5	474
Delta to Hammond.....	23.5	5.4	28.9	...
Mission to Chilliwack.....	45.0	8.8	53.8	...
Total Lower Mainland.....	68.5	14.2	82.7	10,410
Salmon Arm to Penticton.....	1.6	...	1.6	143
Boundary.....	...	...	...	...
Kootenays.....	5.8	1.1	6.9	500
Grand Totals.....	76.6	16.1	92.7	17,536

LOGANBERRIES.

South Vancouver Island.....	13.0	1.3	14.3	...
North Vancouver and Gulf Islands.....	0.3	0.5	0.8	...
Total Islands.....	13.3	1.8	15.1	4,045
Delta to Hammond.....	3.0	1.3	4.3	...
Mission to Chilliwack.....	5.3	...	5.3	...
Total Lower Mainland.....	8.3	1.3	9.6	1,001
Salmon Arm to Penticton.....	2.9	0.8	3.7	...
Boundary.....	...	...	...	...
Kootenays.....	...	...	...	300
Grand Totals.....	24.5	3.9	28.4	5,046

BUSH-FRUIT.

South Vancouver Island.....	11.4	0.5	11.9	...
North Vancouver and Gulf Islands.....	0.1	0.8	0.9	...
Total Islands.....	11.5	1.3	12.8	4,551
Delta to Hammond.....	16.5	1.0	17.5	...
Mission to Chilliwack.....	42.2	5.1	47.3	...
Total Lower Mainland.....	58.7	6.1	64.8	8,206
Salmon Arm to Penticton.....	7.3	1.5	8.8	2,296
Boundary.....	5.5	...	5.5	450*
Kootenays.....	39.6	0.2	39.8	2,088
Grand Totals.....	122.6	9.1	131.7	17,501

TABLE No. 8—SMALL-FRUIT ACREAGE AND YIELD, BRITISH COLUMBIA, TO END OF YEAR 1916—*Concluded*.

TOTALS.

District.	Acres. 1915.	Acres. 1916.	Total Acres.	Total Crates.
South Vancouver Island.....	162.8	131.9	294.7	...
North Vancouver and Gulf Islands.....	14.5	6.0	21.4	...
Total Islands.....	177.3	138.8	316.1	53,811
Delta to Hammond.....	177.3	74.5	251.8	...
Mission to Chilliwack.....	353.3	114.5	467.8	...
Total Lower Mainland.....	530.6	189.0	719.6	114,936
Salmon Arm to Penticton.....	78.5	17.0	95.5	16,136
Boundary.....	23.9	...	23.9	3,975
Kootenays.....	249.9	74.0	324.8	42,976
Grand Totals.....	1,080.2	410.7	1,470.9	231,834

NOTE.—In addition to above yields, Kamloops section shows 500 crates strawberries not included. Acreage in 1915 includes all plantings existing up to and including that year. Acreage in 1916 represents new and non-bearing plantings existing that year.

* Does not include Doukhobors' yield, being domestic consumption.

TABLE No. 9—AVERAGE NET WEIGHTS PER PACKAGE, FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES, 1914-15-16.

Description.	Package.	1914.	1915.	1916.
Apples.....	Box	lb.	lb.	lb.
Pears.....	Box	43	43	43
Plums.....	Box	45	45	45
Prunes.....	Crate	...	...	20
Plums and prunes.....	...	...	...	18
Peaches.....	...	20	20	...
Apricots.....	...	18	17	18
Cherries.....	...	21	21	21
Strawberries.....	...	21	21	21
Raspberries.....	...	16	16	16
Blackberries.....	...	24	18	18
Loganberries.....	...	14	14	14
Bush Fruits.....	...	14	14	14
Grapes.....	...	16	16	16
Rhubarb.....	...	18	18	18
Tomatoes.....	...	18	18	18
	...	40	40	40
	...	25	25	25

CAR-LOADS FOR THREE YEARS, 1914-16.

	Cars.
Potatoes.....	18
Field roots.....	20
Market-garden.....	12
Other vegetables.....	15
Rhubarb.....	12
Tomatoes.....	12

TABLE No. 10—NURSERY STOCK ON HAND IN BRITISH COLUMBIA NURSERIES,
1915-16.

(Compiled from Nursery Inspection Reports, Horticultural Branch.)

Description.	Year.	Number.	Price.	Total Value.
<i>Standard.</i>				
Apples	1916	189,742	...	...
Crab-apples	1916	4,686	...	...
Pears	1916	14,084	...	...
Plums	1916	8,555	...	...
Prunes	1916	2,705	...	...
Peaches	1916	1,556	...	...
Apricots	1916	1,456	...	...
Quinces	1916	707	...	...
Cherries	1916	6,158	...	...
Total standard	1916	227,549	\$0 10	\$22,755
Total standard	1915	426,876	05	31,344
Dwarf fruits, various	1916	5,450	\$0 10	\$ 545
<i>Budded or Grafted Seedlings.</i>				
Apples	1916	72,000	...	...
Crab-apples	1916	...	...	...
Pears	1916	9,000	...	...
Plums	1916	14,100	...	...
Prunes	1916	500	...	...
Peaches	1916	...	...	...
Apricots	1916	2,000	...	...
Cherries	1916	17,400	...	...
Fruit-tree seedlings, n.o.p.	1916	50,000	...	...
Total budded and grafted	1916	165,000	\$6 00 M.	\$ 900
Total budded and grafted	1915	78,000	6 00 M.	473
Raspberries	1916	42,100	...	...
Blackberries	1916	11,200	...	...
Loganberries	1916	1,775	...	...
Red currants	1916	8,550	...	...
Black currants	1916	32,107	...	...
Red, white, and black currants ..	1916	33,250	...	...
Gooseberries	1916	22,650	...	...
Grapes	1916	837	...	...
Total bushes, canes, etc.	1916	148,059	\$0 02	\$ 2,079
Total bushes, canes, etc.	1915	82,042	02	1,641
Strawberry-plants	1916	200,000	\$3 00 M.	\$ 600
Strawberry-plants	1915	285,000	2 50 M.	712
Rhubarb	1916	6,000	05	300
Ornamental trees and shrubs	1916	11,627*	10	1,163
Ornamental trees and shrubs	1915	297,075	10	29,707
Rose-bushes	1916	41,650	10	4,165
Rose-bushes	1915	48,400	10	4,840
Other ornamentals	1916	38,500*	10	3,850
Other ornamentals	1915	...	...	...
Total value	1916	...	...	\$37,347
Total value	1915	...	...	58,778

* Not all enumerated in 1916.

TABLE No. 11.—APIARIES AND HONEY-CROP, BRITISH COLUMBIA, 1914-16.

	Year.	Bee-keepers on List.	Bee-keepers reporting.	Hives reported.	Crop reported.	Average Honey per Hive.
					Lb.	Lb.
Islands	1914	151	41	185	7,900	43
Islands	1915	164	54	209	5,351	16
Islands	1916	214	51	185	2,172	12
Lower Mainland	1914	596	216	1,260	63,366	50
Lower Mainland	1915	713	180	1,344	38,435	29
Lower Mainland	1916	802	229	1,236	35,690	29
Thompson Watershed	1914	30	14	115	9,314	81
Thompson Watershed	1915	39	11	128	4,347	34
Thompson Watershed	1916	45	10	144	5,550	38
Okanagan Valley	1914	86	37	285	14,233	50
Okanagan Valley	1915	113	36	328	6,761	21
Okanagan Valley	1916	112	27	166	9,370	56
Kootenays	1914	97	50	260	15,164	58
Kootenays	1915	132	65	408	3,821	9
Kootenays	1916	142	52	200	12,064	65
Totals	1914	960	364	2,114	100,077	52
Totals	1915	1,101	326	2,417	57,245	24
Totals	1916	1,315	360	1,920	65,071	34

It must be noted that the quantity of honey shown in above table is merely that of bee-keepers reporting.

Estimated total crop of Province for 1914, 150 to 200 tons; estimated total crop of Province for 1915, 100 tons; estimated total crop of Province for 1916, 120 tons.

TABLE No. 12—NUMBERS OF LIVE STOCK IN BRITISH COLUMBIA, 1914-15-16.

Description.	Year.	Number.	Price.	Value.
Horses	1914	59,987	\$131 00	\$ 7,858,297
Horses	1915	62,000	140 00	8,680,000
Horses	1916	65,000	140 00	9,100,000
Beef cattle	1914	165,570	64 00	10,597,056
Beef cattle	1915	165,000	65 00	10,725,000
Beef cattle	1916	170,000	55 00	9,350,000
Dairy cattle	1914	81,083	79 00	6,403,977
Dairy cattle	1915	81,000	80 00	6,480,000
Dairy cattle	1916	89,100	80 00	7,128,000
Sheep	1914	27,529	8 60	239,227
Sheep	1915	40,000	8 75	350,000
Sheep	1916	50,000	8 75	437,500
Swine	1914	39,706	12 58	499,501
Swine	1915	36,500	12 75	465,375
Swine	1916	39,055	12 75	497,951
Total value	1914	...	...	25,598,058
Total value	1915	...	...	26,700,375
Total value	1916	...	...	26,513,451

TABLE No. 13—SHOWING TOTAL NUMBER OF LIVE STOCK IN BRITISH COLUMBIA AT END OF CALENDAR YEAR, AND VALUE OF PRODUCTION DURING YEAR 1916.

Description.	Total No.	Price.	Value of Total Stock.	Value of Year's Production.
Horses	65,000	\$140 00	\$ 9,100,000	\$2,275,000
Beef cattle	170,000	55 00	9,350,000	3,116,685
Dairy cattle	89,100	80 00	7,128,000	2,376,000
Sheep	50,000	8 75	437,500	437,500
Swine	39,055	12 75	497,951	497,951
Total values	...	...	\$26,513,451	\$8,708,136

TABLE No. 14—AVERAGE PRICES PAID PRODUCERS FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS, CALENDAR YEARS 1913 TO 1916.

Description.	1913.	1914.	1915.	1916.
Wheat	\$ 0 07	\$ 1 26	\$ 1 07	\$ 1 40
Oats	34	55	48	50
Barley	77	73	60	70
Rye	90	92	85	94
Peas	1 22	1 31	1 20	2 10
Beans (White Navy)	2 40	2 40	2 55	3 00
Mixed grains	62	75	55	1 00
Grain hay	10 00	13 73	12 48	14 02
Clover and timothy	10 11	10 02	14 10	10 50
Pringle hay	18 72	22 32	15 17	14 20
Fodder corn	5 00	5 00	5 00	4 00
Kale and rape	3 14	4 00	4 00	4 10
Potatoes	20 00	22 82	21 27	25 37
Turnips and mangels	15 07	10 80	11 05	12 05
Market-garden	35 03	32 77	30 80	34 50
Onions, cabbage, and celery	18 04	25 20	19 15	
Rhubarb	27 50	30 07	30 21	25 30
Tomatoes	41	28	02	71
Hops	30	24	17	23
Apples	1 25	1 70 ^{1/2}	1 03	1 02
Pears	1 50	1 24	1 37	1 54
Plums and prunes	05	45	48 ^{1/2}	07
Cherries	1 04	1 20	1 11	1 30
Strawberries	1 82	1 00	1 87	1 74
Raspberries	1 58	1 04	1 72	1 28
Beef and veal	10 ^{1/2}	11	11	10 ^{1/2}
Pork and products thereof	13	13	11 ^{1/2}	15 ^{1/2}
Mutton	10 ^{1/2}	15	13	16 ^{1/2}
Poultry	21	17 ^{1/2}	14	22
Eggs	35	35 ^{1/2}	30	35
Butter	40	35 ^{1/2}	30 7-10	38 ^{1/2}
Cheese	20	20	20	22
Milk (as full fresh)	20	20 0-10	20 ^{1/2}	28
Honey	10	17	15	10

* 1913-14, 24-lb. crate; 1915-16, 18-lb. crate.

EXPRESS SHIPMENTS.

TABLE No. 15—COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLE SHIPMENTS FROM POINTS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA PER DOMINION EXPRESS CO., 1911 TO 1916.

1911	104,705 packages, weight 2,784,777 lb.
1912	166,400 " " 4,330,233 "
1913	208,262 " " 5,203,946 "
1914	250,470 " " 6,328,903 "
1915	318,752 " " 7,508,007 "
1916	312,622 " " 7,496,151 "

Increase 1915 over 1914 Weight, 20.10 per cent.

Decrease 1916 from 1915 " 1.4 " "

TABLE No. 16—EXPRESS SHIPMENTS, FRUIT AND VEGETABLES, BRITISH COLUMBIA, 1911-16, PER DOMINION EXPRESS CO.

Year.	CASCADE AND THOMPSON SECTIONS, INCLUDING VANCOUVER ISLAND.		SHUSWAP AND OKANAGAN AND OKANAGAN LAKE POINTS.		KOOTENAY SECTION.		Total Packages.	Total Weight.	Increase in Weight, or Decrease, from Previous Year.
	Pack-ages.	Weight.	Pack-ages.	Weight.	Pack-ages.	Weight.			
		Lb.		Lb.		Lb.		Lb.	Per Cent.
1911 ..	65,424	1,750,910	22,974	620,290	16,307	413,577	104,705	2,784,777	
1912 ..	64,704	1,801,967	82,814	2,036,863	18,882	491,403	166,400	4,330,233	+55.5
1913 ..	60,235	1,839,710	107,561	2,581,215	31,466	783,021	208,262	5,203,946	+20.1
1914 ..	94,620	2,332,022	121,136	2,658,026	43,714	1,036,855	250,470	6,328,903	+20.2
1915 ..	105,833	2,538,715	158,031	3,820,707	53,988	1,230,485	318,752	7,508,007	+20.1
1916 ..	123,716	2,859,177	123,014	3,139,783	65,802	1,497,191	312,622	7,496,151	-1.4

TABLE No. 17—RELATING TO QUANTITY OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES FORWARDED BY DOMINION EXPRESS CO., SEASONS 1914-16.

Cascade and Thompson Sections, including Vancouver Island.

	1914.	1915.	1916.		1914.	1915.	1916.
	Weight, l.b.	Weight, l.b.	Weight, l.b.	Per Cent. In- crease or decrease since 1913.	Per Cent. In- crease or decrease since 1914.	Per Cent. In- crease or decrease since 1915.	Per Cent. In- crease or decrease since 1916.
Abbotsford	4,474	6,833	12,465	+	25.3	+	52.7
Agassiz	905	4,603	1,120	-	7.5	+	377.0
Ashcroft	3,356						
Chilliwack	95,620	112,489	88,563	+	0.3	+	17.0
Cherninus	11,902	3,490	4,496	+	51.0	-	70.6
Clayburn		123	3,495				
Cobbie Hill	27,440	26,760	13,204	+	234.3	-	2.5
Cowichan		229	940				
Ducks		730	220				
Duncan	17,160	29,661	22,837	-	39.1	+	72.8
Hammond	452,080	335,300	411,476	+	58.2	+	26.0
Hanney	148,840	167,010	297,822	+	14.6	+	12.2
Harrison	28,568	20,070	17,533	+	60.8	-	29.7
Hatzic	549,003	596,991	608,474	+	53.8	+	8.7
Kamloops	11,120	14,564	10,014	+	17.4	+	30.9
Lytton	15,548	15,092	3,256	+	325.3	-	2.9
Matsqui	4,651	2,060	262	+	3,129.9	-	55.7
Mission Junction	531,362	393,402	417,884	+	53.0	-	26.0
Nanaimo	3,699	3,563	6,097	+	40.9	-	3.7
New Westminster	25,043	89,529	107,722	+	0.8*	+	257.5
Parksville		317	790				
Pitt Meadows	15,267			+	44.4		
Ruskin	7,120	3,773	7,060			-	47.0
Savona		897	691				
Spences Bridge	23,693	9,382	7,374	+	18.5	-	60.4
Vancouver	119,581	288,642	816,880	+	38.1	+	141.4
Victoria	66,192	220,006	331,409	+	4.1	+	232.4
Walhachin	10,200	11,279	15,457			+	10.6
Whonnock	39,052	59,911	50,058	+	236.3	+	53.4
Yah	2,906	4,954	6,061	+		+	70.5
Small offices	3,548			+	57.1		
<i>Routes.</i>							
Calgary and Vancouver	35,801	52,845	44,207	-	45.6	+	47.4
Nicola Branch	1,330	1,690	6,350			+	27.1
Vancouver and Agassiz	58,594	51,840	6,590			-	11.5
Vancouver and Penticton			19,504				
Vancouver and Sumas	2,150		5,974	-	89.1		
Victoria and Courtenay		5,345	4,571				
Victoria and Alberni	14,773		3,709	-	7.2		
Victoria and Wellington		5,335	4,603				
Totals	2,332,022	2,538,715	2,859,177	+	20.8	+	8.9

Shuswap and Okanagan and Okanagan Lake Points.

	1914.	1915.	1916.		1914.	1915.	1916.
	Weight, l.b.	Weight, l.b.	Weight, l.b.	Per Cent. In- crease or decrease since 1913.	Per Cent. In- crease or decrease since 1914.	Per Cent. In- crease or decrease since 1915.	Per Cent. In- crease or decrease since 1916.
Armstrong	489,600	632,874	590,095	-	3.8	+	29.2
Enderby	18,185	9,050	11,084	+	298.0	-	45.3
Golden	1,058	1,005	531	+	35.4	-	5.0
Kelowna	444,214	605,525	359,475	+	17.9	+	30.3
Malakwa	22,870	6,336		+	10.7	-	72.3
Naramata	70,227			+	102.6		
Notch Hill	16,057	29,662	42,060			+	84.7
Okanagan Centre	27,437	76,639	60,545			+	159.3
Okanagan Landing	6,308	4,292	2,480	+	30.4	-	32.0
Peachland	174,218	140,334	96,993	+	25.7	-	19.4
Penticton	306,377	594,012	459,402	+	7.1	+	93.0
Revelstoke	22,688	18,395	21,017	+	330.5	-	18.0
Salmon Arm	123,470	203,895	170,038	-	6.0	+	63.1
Shuswap		1,893	373				
Summerland	818,724	811,247	791,355	+	12.3	-	0.9
Vernon	241,677	368,676	182,083	+	20.9	+	52.5
West Summerland			100,568				
<i>Routes.</i>							
Okanagan and Penticton	98,234	320,250	237,555			+	226.0
Sicamous and Okanagan I'd'g	76,613		2,003				
Sicamous and Penticton		4,812					
Totals	2,958,026	3,829,797	3,139,783	+	14.6	+	29.5

* Since 1912.

TABLE No. 17—RELATING TO QUANTITY OF FRUIT AND VEGETABLES FORWARDED BY DOMINION EXPRESS CO., SEASONS 1914-16—*Concluded.*

Kootenay Section.

	1914.	1915.	1916.	1914.	1915.	1916.
	Weight, Lb.	Weight, Lb.	Weight, Lb.	Per Cent. In- crease or Decrease since 1913.	Per Cent. In- crease or Decrease since 1914.	Per Cent. In- crease or Decrease since 1915.
Arrowhead	3,306	1,677	5,048	+ 656.4	- 50.2	+ 201.0
Atholmer		1,902	4,582			+ 140.9
Brilliant	67,164					
Castlegar Junction	2,215	9,320	6,235	- 11.9	+ 520.8	- 33.1
Cranbrook		7,445	7,716			+ 3.6
Creston	318,063	330,719	389,079	+ 36.9	+ 3.8	+ 17.6
Edgewood		630	1,045			+ 65.9
Grand Forks	65,998	36,670	30,683	+ 27.4	- 44.4	+ 8.2
Kaslo	27,435	17,141	22,666	+ 57.3	- 37.5	+ 32.2
Nakusp	16,768	30,376	19,927	+ 13.1	+ 81.8	- 34.4
Nelson	43,963	31,294	55,308	- 48.8	+ 28.8	+ 76.7
Procter	3,208	4,773	5,269	- 9.1	+ 48.8	+ 10.4
Renata		17,513	47,982			+ 174.0
Rosebery	1,100	1,035	2,355			+ 127.5
Rossland	1,455	646	318	- 79.9	- 55.6	- 50.8
Sirdar	8,194	13,860	18,060	+ 99.6	+ 68.4	+ 30.9
Silverton	1,516					
Slocan City		1,102	430			- 61.0
South Slocan		1,137	4,205			+ 142.1
Smelter Junction	2,650	715		+ 34.4	- 73.6	
Yahk	6,430	6,704	8,124		+ 4.3	+ 21.2
<i>Routes.</i>						
Cranbrook and Kimberley...		2,175	827			- 62.0
Golden and Waldo		2,470	2,152			- 12.9
Kettle Valley		13,559				
Lardeau and Gerrard	35			- 53.3		
Nelson and Lardeau	38,955	76,051	60,039	+ 40.6	+ 95.2	- 21.1
Nakusp and Sandon	268					
Nelson and Medicine Hat...	214,849	351,985	493,373	+ 31.1	+ 63.8	+ 40.2
Nelson and Midway	78,391	9,283	604	+ 76.6	- 92.0	+ 90.4
Nelson and Penticton			665			
Nelson and Rossland	27,812	141,902	168,570	+ 41.7	+ 410.2	+ 18.8
Nelson and Slocan	7,037	17,129	22,018	- 24.8	+ 143.4	+ 28.5
Revelstoke and Robson		103,732	110,911			+ 6.9
Totals	1,036,855	1,230,485	1,407,191	+ 32.4	+ 18.7	+ 2.2
Grand totals	6,326,903	7,598,997	7,496,151	+ 21.6	+ 20.1	- 1.4
Total packages	259,470	318,752	312,622	+ 24.6	+ 22.8	- 1.9

TABLE No. 18—EXPRESS SHIPMENTS, FRUITS AND VEGETABLES (DOMINION EXPRESS CO. ONLY), BRITISH COLUMBIA, 1915-16.

	Year.	Packages.	Weight.
<i>Offices.</i>			Lb.
Abbotsford	1915	335	6,833
Abbotsford	1916	322	12,465
Agassiz	1915	156	4,603
Agassiz	1916	38	1,120
Armstrong	1915	17,107	632,874
Armstrong	1916	17,039	590,695
Arrowhead	1915	42	1,077
Arrowhead	1916	203	5,048
Atholmer	1915	60	1,902
Atholmer	1916	175	4,582
Castlegar Junction	1915	289	9,320
Castlegar Junction	1916	255	6,235
Chemainus	1915	120	3,490
Chemainus	1916	138	4,406
Chilliwack	1915	4,309	112,489
Chilliwack	1916	3,168	88,563
Clayburn	1915	6	123
Clayburn	1916	127	3,495
Cobble Hill	1915	1,076	26,700
Cobble Hill	1916	542	13,204
Cowichan	1915	10	229
Cowichan	1916	25	940
Cranbrook	1915	227	7,445
Cranbrook	1916	255	7,716
Creston	1915	14,882	330,719
Creston	1916	17,038	380,079
Ducks	1915	20	730
Ducks	1916	5	220
Duncan	1915	1,034	29,661
Duncan	1916	759	22,837
Edgewood	1915	15	630
Edgewood	1916	25	1,045
Enderby	1915	303	9,950
Enderby	1916	306	11,684
Golden	1915	45	1,005
Golden	1916	17	531
Grand Forks	1915	1,578	36,670
Grand Forks	1916	1,443	39,683
Hammond	1915	14,783	335,300
Hammond	1916	18,103	411,476
Haney	1915	6,810	167,010
Haney	1916	13,287	297,822
Harrison	1915	869	20,070
Harrison	1916	787	17,533
Hatzic	1915	27,518	596,991
Hatzic	1916	29,611	608,474
Kamloops	1915	488	14,564
Kamloops	1916	322	10,014
Kaslo	1915	599	17,141
Kaslo	1916	802	22,666
Kelowna	1915	26,842	605,525
Kelowna	1916	14,858	359,475
Lytton	1915	596	15,092
Lytton	1916	105	3,256
Malakwa	1915	113	6,336
Malakwa	1916	...	...
Matsqui	1915	86	2,060
Matsqui	1916	9	262
Mission Junction	1915	17,674	393,402
Mission Junction	1916	19,793	417,884
Nakusp	1915	1,455	30,376
Nakusp	1916	802	19,927
Nanaimo	1915	129	3,563
Nanaimo	1916	180	6,097
Nelson	1915	1,280	31,294
Nelson	1916	2,643	55,308
New Westminster	1915	4,513	89,529
New Westminster	1916	5,055	107,722
Notch Hill	1915	1,226	29,662
Notch Hill	1916	1,847	42,066
Okanagan Centre	1915	3,036	76,639
Okanagan Centre	1916	2,581	60,545
Okanagan Landing	1915	183	4,292
Okanagan Landing	1916	101	2,480
Parksville	1915	14	317
Parksville	1916	19	799
Peachland	1915	6,300	140,334
Peachland	1916	4,171	96,993
Pentlcton	1915	26,406	594,012
Pentlcton	1916	19,765	459,462

TABLE No. 18—EXPRESS SHIPMENTS, FRUITS AND VEGETABLES (DOMINION EXPRESS CO. ONLY), BRITISH COLUMBIA, 1915-16—Continued.

	Year.	Packages.	Weight.
<i>Offices—Concluded.</i>			
			Lb.
Procter	1915	165	4,773
Procter	1916	232	5,269
Renata	1915	605	17,513
Renata	1916	2,155	47,982
Revelstoke	1915	507	18,365
Revelstoke	1916	701	21,017
Rosebery	1915	30	1,035
Rosebery	1916	73	2,355
Rossland	1915	23	646
Rossland	1916	12	318
Ruskin	1915	117	3,773
Ruskin	1916	316	7,080
Salmon Arm	1915	8,788	203,895
Salmon Arm	1916	7,740	170,038
Savona	1915	29	897
Savona	1916	14	691
Shuswap	1915	52	1,893
Shuswap	1916	7	373
Sirdar	1915	578	13,800
Sirdar	1916	694	18,080
Slocan City	1915	38	1,102
Slocan City	1916	19	430
Smelter Junction	1915	28	715
Smelter Junction	1916	...	...
South Slocan	1915	62	1,737
South Slocan	1916	156	4,205
Spences Bridge	1915	346	9,382
Spences Bridge	1916	242	7,374
Summerland	1915	37,569	811,247
Summerland	1916	31,795	791,355
Vancouver	1915	8,969	288,642
Vancouver	1916	9,904	316,880
Vernon	1915	14,875	368,676
Vernon	1916	6,952	182,983
Victoria	1915	8,810	220,006
Victoria	1916	13,770	331,409
Wahachin	1915	390	11,279
Wahachin	1916	517	15,457
West Summerland	1915	...	...
West Summerland	1916	4,001	109,568
Whor	1915	2,443	59,911
Who.	1916	2,282	50,658
Yahk	1915	257	6,704
Yahk	1916	359	8,124
Yale	1915	291	4,954
Yale	1916	406	6,061
Totals	1915	51,066	1,157,403
Totals	1916	250,158	6,301,866
<i>Routes.</i>			
Calgary and Vancouver	1915	2,062	58,845
Calgary and Vancouver	1916	1,712	44,207
Cranbrook and Kimberley	1915	73	2,175
Cranbrook and Kimberley	1916	38	827
Golden and Waldo	1915	76	2,470
Golden and Waldo	1916	74	2,152
Kettle Valley	1915	600	13,559
Kettle Valley	1916	...	...
Nelson	1915	3,370	76,051
Nelson and Lardeau	1916	2,586	60,039
Nelson and Medicine Hat	1915	16,111	351,985
Nelson and Medicine Hat	1916	21,871	493,373
Nelson and Midway	1915	291	6,283
Nelson and Midway	1916	26	604
Nelson and Penticton	1915	...	...
Nelson and Penticton	1916	35	666
Nelson and Rossland	1915	6,299	141,302
Nelson and Rossland	1916	8,240	168,570
Nelson and Slocan	1915	601	17,129
Nelson and Slocan	1916	992	22,018
Nicola Branch	1915	71	1,690
Nicola Branch	1916	321	6,350
Okanagan Landing and Penticton	1915	15,374	320,250
Okanagan Landing and Penticton	1916	11,090	237,555
Revelstoke and Robson	1915	4,264	103,732
Revelstoke and Robson	1916	4,599	110,911
Sicamous and Okanagan Landing	1915	115	4,812
Sicamous and Okanagan Landing	1916	43	2,063

TABLE No. 18—EXPRESS SHIPMENTS, FRUITS AND VEGETABLES (DOMINION EXPRESS CO. ONLY), BRITISH COLUMBIA, 1915-16—*Concluded.*

	Year.	Packages.	Weight.
<i>Routes—Concluded.</i>			Lb.
Vancouver and Agassiz	1915	1,419	51,840
Vancouver and Agassiz	1916	347	6,590
Vancouver and Penticton	1915	...	...
Vancouver and Penticton	1916	788	10,504
Vancouver and Sumas	1915	...	...
Vancouver and Sumas	1916	244	5,974
Victoria and Courtenay	1915	188	5,345
Victoria and Courtenay	1916	151	4,571
Victoria and Port Alberni	1915	...	...
Victoria and Port Alberni	1916	130	3,700
Victoria and Wellington	1915	172	5,335
Victoria and Wellington	1916	177	4,603
Totals	1915	51,066	1,157,403
Totals	1916	53,464	1,104,285

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TABLE No. 19.—AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS FROM OTHER PROVINCES IN CANADA INTO BRITISH COLUMBIA, YEARS 1914-15-16.

Description.	1916.			1915.			1914.		
	Quantity.	Value.		Quantity.	Value.		Quantity.	Value.	
Horses*	No.								
Beef cattle.....	13,234	\$ 1,048,140		16,683	\$ 1,297,203		545	\$ 128,830	
Dairy cattle.....	13,250	28,700		800	60,288		43,918	3,303,933	
Sheep.....	13,254	122,886		31,323	217,498		702	68,168	
Swine.....	60,008	1,151,194		82,197	1,368,840		17,311	108,208	
Total live stock.....	...	\$ 2,350,920		...	\$ 2,949,820		90,326	1,382,667	
Beef and veal	5,304,267	\$ 799,239	lb.	3,255,006	\$ 207,466		...	\$ 5,183,826	
Pork and pork products.....	7,867,132	1,538,747		9,736,550	1,540,287		10,172,175	\$ 1,185,374	
Mutton.....	338,335	65,051		1,221,425	176,290		7,055,471	1,166,884	
Lard.....	2,234,232	346,530		1,677,498	213,249		1,970,941	303,949	
Meats (canned).....	208,122	33,191		132,975	25,630		1,338,989	174,794	
Total meats.....	16,146,188	\$ 2,782,758		16,023,544	\$ 2,322,922		391,104	77,968	
Poultry	1,559,181	\$ 214,046	lb.	1,033,468	\$ 148,129		21,127,780	\$ 2,908,969	
Eggs.....	1,682,950	798,066	doz.	1,471,978	683,878		1,256,860	\$ 274,313	
Total poultry products.....	...	\$ 1,012,132		...	\$ 832,007		2,751,440	\$ 751,514	
Butter	7,865,350	\$ 2,400,611	lb.	5,666,679	\$ 1,509,554		...	\$ 1,025,827	
Cheese.....	1,674,322	444,578		1,384,882	307,864		6,430,408	\$ 1,733,295	
Milk (as fresh).....	544,066	178,891	gals.	1,384,783	454,039		1,911,335	317,396	
Total dairy products.....	...	\$ 3,130,080		...	\$ 2,271,457		1,704,862	678,640	
Apples*	...	...		...	...		...	\$ 2,751,321	
Other tree-fruits*.....	...	...		...	...		...	...	
Small fruits*.....	...	...		...	...		...	...	
Canned fruits and vegetables.....	4,273,110	\$ 276,435	lb.	2,893,101	\$ 168,970		10,448,990	\$ 647,670	
Total fruits.....	4,273,110	\$ 276,435		2,893,101	\$ 168,970		10,446,490	\$ 647,670	
Hay.....	11,821	\$ 230,958	tons	10,315	\$ 175,367		17,483	\$ 297,232	

TABLE No. 19—AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS FROM OTHER PROVINCES IN CANADA INTO BRITISH COLUMBIA, YEARS 1914-13-16—Continued.

Description.	1916.		1915.		1914.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Whole grains	2,611,375	\$ 1,891,334	2,274,717	\$ 1,710,967	5,696,793	\$ 3,489,982
Agricultural seeds						
Mill stock-feed	21,785	531,685	19,644	537,369	30,740	843,317
Flour	336,519	1,904,384	364,593	2,110,159	400,453	2,898,349
Flax					9,728	2,738
Malt	150,000	107,978	169,310	208,018	171,020	193,165
Total grains, etc.	...	\$ 4,615,381	...	\$ 4,757,890	...	\$ 7,091,742
Honey	5,508	\$ 1,301	94,874	\$ 14,766	9,105	\$ 1,754
Hops	...	...	2,898	579	1,725	414
Total miscellaneous	...	\$ 1,301	...	\$ 15,365	...	\$ 2,168
Grand totals	...	\$14,399,965	...	\$13,493,507	...	\$19,908,455

* No returns.

TABLE No. 20—AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS IMPORTED FROM FOREIGN POINTS INTO BRITISH COLUMBIA.

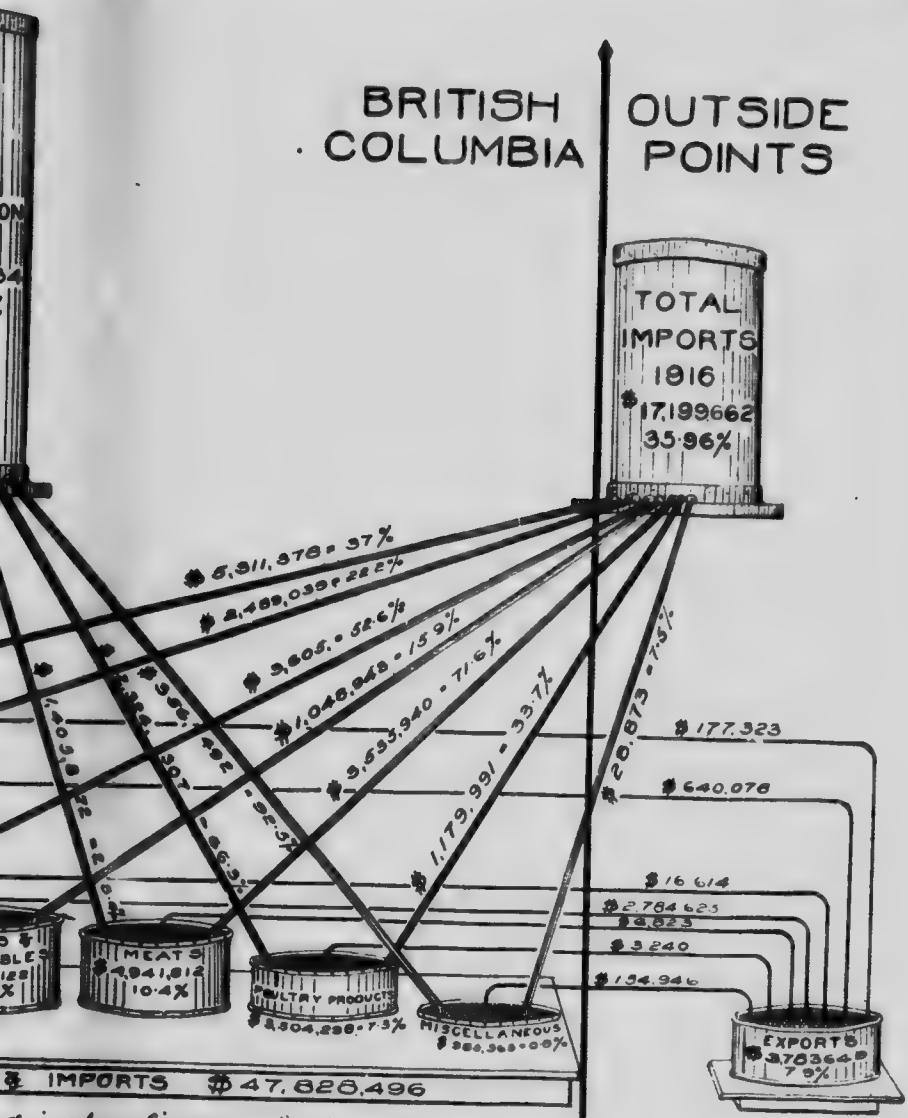
Description.	1916.		1915.		1914.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Horses	104	\$ 10,335	24	\$ 2,213	486	\$ 39,757
Beef cattle	482	17,983	212	5,760	399	18,096
Dairy cattle						
Sheep	25,598	109,801	24,455	97,105	56,373	210,874
Swine (see Pork)	...	...	...	...	...	75
Total live stock	...	\$ 138,119	...	\$ 105,078	...	\$ 269,432

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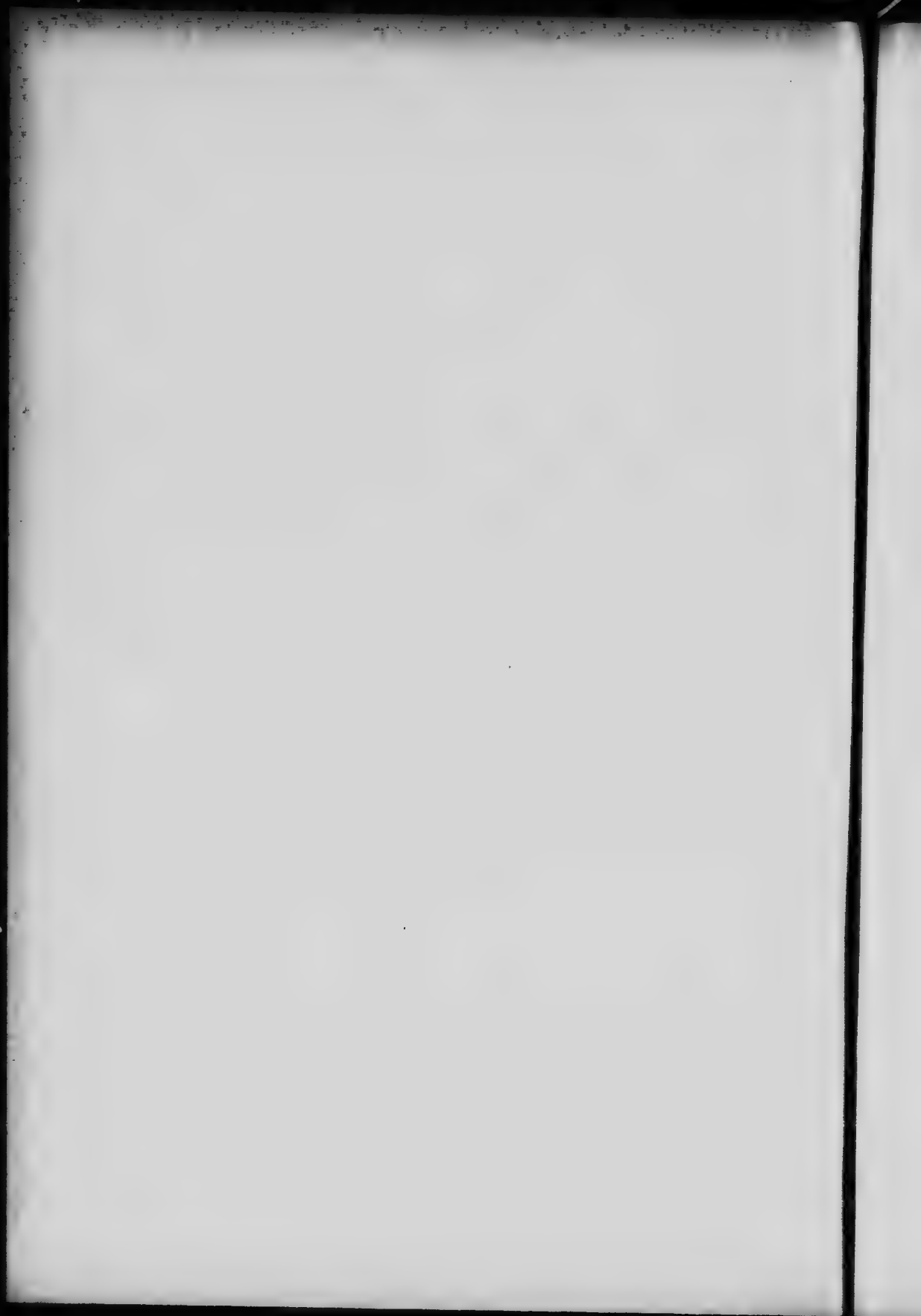


Indian Production in BC - \$1,554,981 not included in ab
being available. Total Home Production including In

BRITISH COLUMBIA OUTSIDE POINTS



and in above figures owing to grand total only
including Indians - \$32,182,915



Beef and veal	528,474	\$	31,981	211,284	\$	19,377	2,081,213	\$	283,389
Pork and pork products	1,897,815		286,937	735,833		112,228	1,343,200		243,273
Mutton	1,927,324		310,397	2,770,221		327,955	3,688,782		318,092
Lard	453,712		49,314	271,124		27,812	302,779		56,039
Meats (canned)	...		72,043	73,877		19,362	...		...
Total meats	4,697,325	\$	753,182	4,080,339	\$	502,754	8,086,076	\$	887,393
Poultry	...	\$	21,051	126,521	\$	17,713	303,397	\$	67,229
Eggs	628,918		146,806	552,390		110,877	2,854,178		682,490
Total poultry products	...	\$	167,859	...	\$	137,590	...	\$	729,718
Butter	1,476,472	\$	490,885	3,070,528	\$	1,010,723	6,998,050	\$	1,584,512
Cheese	198,968		44,333	452,936		70,040	282,639		53,105
Milk (as fresh)	...		...	...		...	414,805		98,113
Total dairy products	...	\$	475,418	...	\$	1,081,663	...	\$	1,737,730
Apples	4,884,120	\$	99,057	8,494,800	\$	130,297	8,019,040	\$	108,792
Other tree-fruits	2,749,887		99,774	2,976,169		74,502	4,158,232		138,369
Small fruits	1,037,842		62,879	1,298,563		74,081	2,092,146		131,397
Canned fruits	2,494,083		143,871	1,179,753		59,610	2,697,803		159,643
Total fruits	11,165,932	\$	425,581	13,919,225	\$	339,499	16,917,223	\$	506,421
Potatoes	326	\$	13,248	416	\$	12,417	...	\$	239,451
Other vegetables, n.o.p.	1,750,296		230,617	686,465		40,987	1,369,120		79,361
Canned vegetables	...	\$	105,062	...	\$	...	...	\$	...
Total vegetables	...	\$	346,927	...	\$	215,702	...	\$	418,812
Hay	2,710	\$	36,936	4,029	\$	44,611	11,161	\$	136,293
Whole grains	231,215	\$	425,566	525,850	\$	479,331	546,763	\$	458,066
Malt	2,715		2,497	...		14,704	731,642		17,389
Total grains, etc.	...	\$	428,063	...	\$	494,235	...	\$	476,175
Honey	137,198	\$	13,932	50,830	\$	7,728	60,737	\$	8,224
Hops	13,724		2,372	19,276		3,456	58,752		23,036
Nursery stock	...		11,268	...		9,253	...		23,534
Total miscellaneous	...	\$	27,572	...	\$	20,440	...	\$	54,784
Grand totals	...	\$	2,799,697	...	\$	2,941,163	...	\$	3,290,670

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TABLE No. 21—YEARLY TOTALS OF BRITISH COLUMBIA AND FOREIGN PRODUCTS RECEIVED AT VANCOUVER, 1914-15-16.
(BY R. C. ABBOTT, COAST MARKETS COMMISSIONER AND INSPECTOR IN CHARGE OF EXPORTS.)

1914.				1913.				1912.			
R.C.	Value.	Im- porta.	Value.	R.C.	Value.	Im- porta.	Value.	R.C.	Value.	Im- porta.	Value.
Apples boxes	\$ 75,688 20	154,500	\$154,500 00	122,130	\$144,622 50	118,240	\$153,920 00	104,280	\$111,673 00	78,150	\$70,325 00
Apricots	2,097 60	11,015	11,000 00	5,364	4,201 20	8,437	10,496 00	2,150	2,150 00	2,575	2,575 00
Blackberries	1,283 50	753	753 00	600	625 00	250	375 00	540	540 00	97,117	2,119 00
Cherries	8,285 00	181,285	15,408 00	104,162	7,571 34	95,305	8,539 50	53,000	4,240 00	4,240 00	4,240 00
Cran-apples	1,014 50	140	20 00	1,600	1,260 00	7 7/8	7	1,100	680 00	43	43 00
Currants (plums) crates	387 00	60	219 00	900	1,715 00	75	112 50	750	1,125 00	100	100 00
Gooseberries (plums)	3,577 20	67,530	40,578 00	940	1,645 00	51,414	46,372 00	600	850 00	29,448	29,448 00
Pears	4,085 00	18,340	27,578 00	12,225	9,164 75	11,500	23,000 00	1,050	2,000 00	12,246	12,246 00
Plums and prunes, crates	16,726 80	20,012	25,453 00	32,760	3,250 00	8,206	15,629 00	20,000	11,000 00	16,783	16,783 00
Raspberries (1916, %) ..	10,779 00	2,695	5,497 00	32,971	23,079 70	1,500	15,629 00	9,750	12,650 00	80	80 00
Strawberries (plums) ..	36,523 75	53,481	76,803 00	13,225	21,160 00	6,710	15,097 50	24,500	30,700 00	14,000	20,000 00
Loganberries (plums)	245 00	445	78,778 00	31,080	59,052 00	145	255 00	250	325 00	30	30 00
Alf. agus (imp. head, R.C. leaf)	No rec.	No rec.	No rec.	225	565 50	2,700	6,083 20	2,100	4,700 00	350	700 00
Mixed vegetables	No rec.	No rec.	No rec.	900	720 00	2,600	7,800 00	2,000	6,000 00	1,200	1,200 00
Onions	3,420 00	No rec.	No rec.	6,200	124,000 00	500	13,000 00	5,500	165,000 00	700	21,000 00
Peppers	No rec.	1,003	60,755 00	500	24,000 00	883	17,000 00	1,200	80,000 00	220	1,400 00
Rhubarb	235,020 00	No rec.	No rec.	500	24,000 00	28,480	3,272 00	300	50 00	10	1,000 00
Tomatoes	6,179 00	256	3,256 00	9,583	172,134 00	33	1,000 00	8,500	212,500 00	10	1,000 00
Cantaloupes	5,623 50	14,050	7,479 00	6,567	33,150 00	900	1,125 00	4,600	2,700 00	1,700	1,700 00
	380 00	6,933	27,752 00	22,300	33,150 00	4,060	3,244 00	18,300	27,450 00	1,500	1,500 00
				185	185 00	3,500	17,093 00	20	35 00	1,500	1,500 00

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TABLE No. 23—IMPORTED FRUITS AND VEGETABLES INSPECTED AND CONDEMNED,
PORT OF VANCOUVER AND ALL PORTS OF ENTRY BRITISH COLUMBIA, YEARS
1914-15-16.

(BY W. H. LYNE, INSPECTOR OF IMPORTED FRUIT, NURSERY STOCK, ETC.)

Kind.	Year.	PORT OF VANCOUVER.			ALL PORTS OF ENTRY, B.C.		
		Number in- spected.	Number con- demned.	Net im- ports.	Number in- spected.	Number con- demned.	Net im- ports.
Apples	1914	180,387	11,991	168,396			
Apples	1915	128,753	11,013	117,740	188,710	13,115	175,595
Apples	1916	78,058	3,891	74,167	120,981	6,590	114,395
Apples	1914	888	10	878			
Apples	1915	1,011		1,011	1,323		1,323
Apples	1916	234	50	184	360	50	310
Apples	1914	55	11	44			
Apples	1915	5	2	3			
Apples	1916	4	4		11	4	7
Apricots	1914	18,312	60	18,252			
Apricots	1915	9,457	1,020	8,437	13,478	1,041	12,437
Apricots	1916	5,875	20	5,855	9,639	820	8,819
Cherries	1914						
Cherries	1915	8,058	35	8,023	11,295	35	11,260
Cherries	1916	5,100	234	4,865	7,203	246	6,957
Crab-apples	1914	180	21	159			
Crab-apples	1915	17	10	7	47	11	36
Crab-apples	1916	11	11		11	11	
Crab-apples	1914	222					
Crab-apples	1915	1		1	20		20
Crab-apples	1916	3	3		3	3	
Nectarines	1914	180		180			
Nectarines	1915	10		10	60		60
Nectarines	1916	53		53	117		117
Peaches	1914	80,910	4,207	76,703			
Peaches	1915	53,708	2,322	51,386	78,100	2,495	75,605
Peaches	1916	29,048	189	28,859	51,599	173	51,426
Pears	1914	31,750	4,255	27,495			
Pears	1915	14,274	3,363	10,911	19,399	3,645	15,754
Pears	1916	12,286	1,500	10,786	16,430	1,783	14,647
Pears	1914	1,207	11	1,196			
Pears	1915	2,018	1	2,017	2,027	1	2,026
Pears	1916	100	1	99	116	1	115
Plums	1914	25,180	130	25,050			
Plums	1915	8,274	48	8,226	13,408	60	13,348
Plums	1916	10,783	122	10,661	15,575	122	15,453
Prunes	1914	3,378		3,378			
Prunes	1915	138		138	3,315		3,315
Prunes	1916	21		21	1,755		1,755
Quinces	1914	140	3	137			
Quinces	1915	48		48	129		129
Quinces	1916	117	40	77	134	45	89
Grapefruit	1914	6,780	53	6,727			
Grapefruit	1915	3,832	51	3,781	5,603	51	5,552
Grapefruit	1916	5,514	52	5,462	7,882	52	7,830
Lemons	1914	21,411	4	21,407			
Lemons	1915	15,583	251	15,332	22,124	251	21,873
Lemons	1916	12,783	58	12,725	18,074	58	18,016
Lemons, assorted	1914						
Lemons, assorted	1915	123		123	123		123
Lemons, assorted	1916						
Limes	1914	74		74			
Limes	1915	16		16	54		54
Limes	1916	2		2	45		43
Oranges, assorted	1914						
Oranges, assorted	1915	48		48	48		48
Oranges, assorted	1916						
Oranges, California	1914	182,222	963	181,259			
Oranges, California	1915	76,540	456	76,084	113,872	843	113,029
Oranges, California	1916	82,329	119	82,210	120,624	128	120,496
Oranges, Chinese	1914	100		100			
Oranges, Chinese	1915	72		72	72		72
Oranges, Chinese	1916	146		146	146		146
Oranges, Japanese	1914	144,556	201	144,355			
Oranges, Japanese	1915	101,078	210	100,868	122,634	210	122,424
Oranges, Japanese	1916	123,538	576	122,962	158,058	576	157,482
Persimmons	1914	100		100			
Persimmons	1915	54		54			
Persimmons	1916	97		97	55		55
Pineapples	1914	121	1	120	99		99
Pineapples	1915	90		90			
Pineapples	1916	177		177	202	1	201
Pomegranates	1914	171		171	263		263
Pomegranates	1915	72		72	127		127

TABLE No. 22—IMPORTED FRUITS AND VEGETABLES INSPECTED AND CONDEMNED,
PORT OF VANCOUVER AND ALL PORTS OF ENTRY BRITISH COLUMBIA, YEARS
1914-15-16—Concluded.

Kind.	Year.	PORT OF VANCOUVER.			ALL PORTS OF ENTRY, B.C.		
		Number in- spected.	Number con- demned.	Net Im- ports.	Number in- spected.	Number con- demned.	Net Im- ports.
Pomegranates boxes	1916	76	...	76	139	...	139
Pomeloos	1914	288	...	288	...	...	...
Pomeloos	1915	174	...	174	407	...	407
Pomeloos	1916	243	...	243	525	2	523
Tangerines	1914	10	...	10	...	...	...
Tangerines	1915	11	...	11	31	...	31
Tangerines	1916	5	...	5	105	...	105
Egg-plants	1914	486	...	486	...	...	...
Egg-plants	1915	348	...	348	432	...	432
Egg-plants	1916	279	...	279	325	...	325
Peppers	1914	2,701	...	2,701	...	...	...
Peppers	1915	1,449	...	1,449	2,242	...	2,242
Peppers	1916	1,448	...	1,448	2,316	...	2,316
Potatoes pkgs.	1914	29,513	1,040	28,473	...	...	...
Potatoes	1915	4,074	11	1,063	2,756	11	2,745
Potatoes	1916	413	8	405	591	8	583
Potatoes, sweet.	1914	4,190	12	4,178	...	...	...
Potatoes, sweet.	1915	4,042	5	4,037	5,057	7	5,050
Potatoes, sweet.	1916	3,400	111	3,288	5,062	119	4,943
Tomatoes boxes	1914	16,690	78	16,612	...	...	...
Tomatoes	1915	4,060	3	4,056	6,540	37	6,503
Tomatoes	1916	3,920	...	...	7,230	...	7,226

TABLE No. 23.—STATEMENT SHOWING IMPORTED FRUITS AND VEGETABLES INSPECTED AND CONDEMNED AT VARIOUS PORTS OF ENTRY IN
BRITISH COLUMBIA, YEAR 1916.
(By W. H. LYNE, INSPECTOR OF IMPORTED FRUIT, NURSERY STOCK, ETC.)

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TABLE No. 24—IMPORTED NURSERY STOCK INSPECTED AND CONDEMNED, PORT OF VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA, YEARS 1914-15-16.

(By W. H. LYNE, INSPECTOR OF IMPORTED FRUIT, NURSERY STOCK, ETC.)

Description.	Year.	Number inspected.	Number condemned.	Net Imports.
Apples trees	1914	30,052	848	29,204
Apples "	1915	18,318	4,016	14,302
Apples "	1916	13,479	800	12,679
Apricots "	1914	428	6	422
Apricots "	1915	970	233	737
Apricots "	1916	960	2	958
Cherries "	1914	7,226	195	7,031
Cherries "	1915	5,308	777	4,531
Cherries "	1916	4,590	16	4,574
Crab-apples "	1914	40	9	31
Crab-apples "	1915	847	182	665
Crab-apples "	1916	328	148	180
Nectarines "	1914	40	1	39
Nectarines "	1915	33	11	22
Nectarines "	1916	42	...	42
Peaches "	1914	1,887	39	1,848
Peaches "	1915	2,461	336	2,125
Peaches "	1916	3,907	957	2,950
Pears "	1914	12,754	4,979	7,775
Pears "	1915	3,008	561	2,447
Pears "	1916	2,816	346	2,470
Plums "	1914	4,119	8	4,111
Plums "	1915	6,322	4,025	2,297
Plums "	1916	2,643	241	2,402
Prunes "	1914	1,583	37	1,546
Prunes "	1915	994	337	657
Prunes "	1916	298	1	297
Quince "	1914	264	...	264
Quince "	1915	166	27	139
Quince "	1916	215	...	215
Total standard "	1914	58,393	6,122	52,271
Total standard "	1915	38,427	10,505	27,922
Total standard "	1916	29,278	2,511	26,767
Almonds trees	1914	104	1	103
Almonds "	1915	33	...	33
Almonds "	1916	70	...	70
Chestnuts "	1914	128	...	128
Chestnuts "	1915	129	57	72
Chestnuts "	1916	63	10	53
Figs "	1914	8	2	6
Figs "	1915	53	...	53
Figs "	1916	74	2	72
Filberts "	1914	369	85	284
Filberts "	1915	119	...	119
Filberts "	1916	189	8	191
Walnuts "	1914	1,420	2	1,418
Walnuts "	1915	771	1	770
Walnuts "	1916	978	...	978
Total nuts, etc.	1914	2,029	90	1,939
Total nuts, etc.	1915	1,105	58	1,047
Total nuts, etc.	1916	1,384	20	1,364
Grafts units	1914	...	...	...
Grafts "	1915	13,007	275	12,732
Grafts "	1916	49,530	100	49,430
Seedlings "	1914	625,742	14,260	611,482
Seedlings "	1915	135,024	200	134,824
Seedlings "	1916	155,402	24,037	131,365
Total grafts and seedlings	1914	625,742	14,260	611,482
Total grafts and seedlings	1915	148,031	475	147,556
Total grafts and seedlings	1916	204,941	24,137	180,804
Blackberries bushes	1914	20,128	808	19,320
Blackberries "	1915	13,404	104	13,300
Blackberries "	1916	11,514	1,400	10,114
Currants "	1914	86,018	697	85,321
Currants "	1915	16,390	476	15,914
Currants "	1916	19,879	876	19,003
Gooseberries "	1914	21,128	9	21,119
Gooseberries "	1915	15,654	1	15,653
Gooseberries "	1916	20,006	...	20,006
Grapes vines	1914	4,271	1,204	3,067
Grapes "	1915	4,358	761	3,597
Grapes "	1916	3,537	439	3,098
Raspberries canes	1914	34,471	180	34,291

TABLE No. 24—IMPORTED NURSERY STOCK INSPECTED AND CONDEMNED, PORT OF VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA, YEARS 1914-1916—Concluded.

Description.	Year.	Number inspected.	Number condemned.	Net Imports.
Raspberries	1915	20,931	144	20,787
Raspberries	1916	11,735	561	11,174
Strawberries	1914	219,190	...	219,190
Strawberries	1915	72,014	...	72,014
Strawberries	1916	161,742	10	161,732
Total vines, bushes, etc.	1914	335,206	2,395	332,811
Total vines, bushes, etc.	1915	142,751	1,506	141,245
Total vines, bushes, etc.	1916	228,813	3,286	225,527
Bulbs and roots	1914	2,109,554	1	2,109,553
Bulbs and roots	1915	749,078	...	749,078
Bulbs and roots	1916	651,149	200	650,949
Ornamentals, trees, shrubs	1914	185,455	4,341	181,114
Ornamentals, trees, shrubs	1915	36,020	400	35,620
Ornamentals, trees, shrubs	1916	34,819	309	34,510
Plants	1914	38,113	307	37,806
Plants	1915	17,720	10	17,710
Plants	1916	17,597	129	17,468
Rose-bushes	1914	116,925	149	116,776
Rose-bushes	1915	42,480	55	42,425
Rose-bushes	1916	37,266	79	37,187
Total ornamentals	1914	2,430,047	4,798	2,425,249
Total ornamentals	1915	845,307	465	844,842
Total ornamentals	1916	740,831	717	740,114

EXPORTS.

TABLE No. 25—STATEMENT SHOWING THE QUANTITY AND VALUE OF CANADIAN EXPORTS PASSING OUTWARD THROUGH BRITISH COLUMBIA PORTS DURING THE CALENDAR YEARS 1914-1916.

(BY DEPARTMENT OF CUSTOMS, OTTAWA.)

Description.	Year.	Quantity.	Value.
Horses over one year	No. 1914	542	\$ 64,316
Horses over one year	" 1915	183	25,080
Horses over one year	" 1916	85	14,918
Cattle under one year	" 1914	78	1,722
Cattle under one year	" 1915	57	1,100
Cattle under one year	" 1916	22	320
Cattle over one year	" 1914	5,469	437,144
Cattle over one year	" 1915	3,995	317,103
Cattle over one year	" 1916	2,104	185,407
Swine	" 1914	105,375	1,698,977
Swine	" 1915	5,012	58,790
Swine	" 1916	5	30
Sheep	" 1914	...	2,042
Poultry	" 1915	...	3,059
Poultry	" 1916	...	1,457
Other animals	" 1914	...	6,205
Other animals	" 1915	...	6,172
Other animals	" 1916	...	7,688
Bones	cwt. 1914	3,583	4,539
Bones	" 1915	3,991	4,544
Bones	" 1916	5,732	10,270
Butter	lb. 1914	741	199
Butter	" 1915	279,046	83,313
Butter	" 1916	122	45
Cheese	" 1914	137,843	27,035
Cheese	" 1915	21,935	5,259
Cheese	" 1916	36,409	7,720
Cream, fresh	gals. 1914	489	366
Cream, fresh	" 1915	5	3
Cream and milk, condensed	lb. 1916	833	790
Cream and milk, condensed	" 1914	3,810,053	341,573
Cream and milk, condensed	" 1915	447,952	13,022
Cream and milk, condensed	" 1916	769,102	46,131
Eggs	doz. 1914	261,720	43,325
Eggs	" 1915	1,282	359
Furs, dressed	" 1916	...	50

TABLE No. 25—STATEMENT SHOWING THE QUANTITY AND VALUE OF CANADIAN EXPORTS PASSING OUTWARD THROUGH BRITISH COLUMBIA PORTS DURING THE CALENDAR YEARS 1914-16—Continued.

Description.	Year.	Quantity.	Value.
Furs, dressed	1916	...	14,335
Furs, raw	1914	...	73,460
Furs, raw	1915	...	65,622
Furs, raw	1916	...	91,838
Grease	1914	202,781	7,144
Grease	1915	30,600	1,289
Grease	1916	40,200	1,622
Glue stock	1914	...	5,824
Glue stock	1915	...	3,029
Glue stock	1916	...	5,514
Hair	1914	...	2,307
Hair	1915	...	1,866
Hair	1916	...	1,114
Hides and skins	1914	...	408,722
Hides and skins	1915	...	341,426
Hides and skins	1916	...	356,570
Horns and hoofs	1914	...	4,315
Horns and hoofs	1915	...	1,616
Horns and hoofs	1916	...	1,188
Honey	1915	204	33
Lard	1914	239,246	29,957
Lard	1915	181,271	18,782
Bacon	1914	670	115
Bacon	1915	38,400	4,534
Bacon	1916	1,805	603
Beef	1914	110,101	12,545
Beef	1915	38,585	4,311
Beef	1916	66,011	8,035
Hams	1914	1,470,270	232,532
Hams	1915	248,132	35,238
Hams	1916	...	...
Mutton	1916	206	55
Pork	1914	756,308	106,308
Pork	1915	206,950	36,428
Pork	1916	702	116
Poultry	1914	...	25
Poultry	1915	...	1,385
Poultry	1916	...	1,783
Tongues	1915	5,000	750
Game	1916	...	1,648
Meats, canned	1914	1,205	156
Meats, canned	1915	29,022	4,411
Meats, canned	1916	120	20
Meats, n.o.p.	1914	25,524	2,214
Meats, n.o.p.	1915	71,721	3,148
Meats, n.o.p.	1916	23	3
Oil, neat's-foot	1915	523	960
Sausage-casings	1914	...	11,956
Sausage-casings	1915	...	8,262
Sausage-casings	1916	...	468
Sheep-pelts	1914	...	25,529
Sheep-pelts	1915	...	12,987
Sheep-pelts	1916	...	31,425
Tails	1914	...	1,812
Tails	1915	...	672
Tails	1916	...	820
Tallow	1914	503,078	33,041
Tallow	1915	185,888	15,826
Tallow	1916	24,337	2,338
Wool	1914	478,227	114,816
Wool	1915	234,305	71,222
Wool	1916	138,603	50,555
Other articles of animals	1914	...	1,477
Other articles of animals	1915	...	728
Other articles of animals	1916	...	954
Apples, dried	1916	100	10
Apples, green or ripe	1914	13,485	57,584
Apples, green or ripe	1915	18,237	87,097
Apples, green or ripe	1916	24,607	112,247
Berries, all kinds	1914	...	106
Berries, all kinds	1915	...	119
Berries, all kinds	1916	...	216
Fruits, canned or preserved	1914	...	2,307
Fruits, canned or preserved	1915	...	3,240
Fruits, canned or preserved	1916	...	911
Fruits, all other, n.o.p.	1914	...	480
Fruits, all other, n.o.p.	1915	...	4,030
Fruits, all other, n.o.p.	1916	...	245
Beans	1916	1,141	6,137
Barley	1914	32,370	21,755
Barley	1915	80	80
Oats	1914	44,720	23,224

TABLE No. 25—STATEMENT SHOWING THE QUANTITY AND VALUE OF CANADIAN EXPORTS PASSING OUTWARD THROUGH BRITISH COLUMBIA PORTS DURING THE CALENDAR YEARS 1914-16—Concluded.

Description.	Year.	Quantity.	Value.
Oats	1913	260	\$ 154
Oats	1914	2,147	894
Rye	1914	29,155	20,102
Wheat	1914	145,111	133,986
Wheat	1915	139,266	183,251
Wheat	1916	82,717	104,446
Bran	1914	745	1,058
Bran	1915	...	14,648
Bran	1916	...	63,933
Flour	1914	143,181	530,405
Flour	1915	84,299	468,300
Flour	1916	95,437	488,012
Cereals of all kinds	1914	...	1,564
Cereals of all kinds	1915	...	8,279
Cereals of all kinds	1916	...	1,350
Hay	1914	22	209
Hay	1915	16	217
Hay	1916	202	5,632
Maple sugar	1914	346	35
Maple sugar	1915	62	7
Maple sugar	1916	609	96
Hops	1914	...	...
Hops	1915	79,592	6,009
Hops	1916	113,944	24,590
Maple syrup	1914	62	64
Maple syrup	1915	14	19
Maple syrup	1916	57	80
Seeds, clover	1914	2	23
Seeds, grass	1914	28	111
Seeds, n.o.p.	1914	...	76
Seeds, n.o.p.	1915	...	194
Seeds, other	1916	...	556
Straw	1914	15	35
Straw	1915	15	15
Straw	1916	14	108
Tobacco-leaf	1914	10	7
Trees, shrubs, and plants	1914	...	403
Trees, shrubs, and plants	1915	...	1,053
Trees, shrubs, and plants	1916	...	7,365
Vegetables, canned and preserved	1914	...	20
Vegetables, canned and preserved	1915	...	2,023
Vegetables, canned and preserved	1916	...	5,687
Potatoes	1914	217	220
Potatoes	1915	73,198	42,030
Potatoes	1916	79,924	57,168
Turnips	1915	2,441	786
Turnips	1916	5,301	1,999
Vegetables, n.o.p.	1914	...	754
Vegetables, n.o.p.	1915	...	1,546
Vegetables, n.o.p.	1916	...	4,128
Other articles of agriculture	1914	...	1,101
Other articles of agriculture	1915	...	909
Other articles of agriculture	1916	...	5,714
Totals	1914	...	\$4,501,288
Totals	1915	...	1,977,005
Totals	1916	...	1,737,895

TABLE No. 20—BRITISH COLUMBIA EXPORTS TO OTHER DOMINION PROVINCES AND FOREIGN PORTS.

Description.	Quantity.	Value.
Horns No.	1,554	\$ 220,829
Beef cattle	55	2,213
Dairy cattle		
Total live stock	...	\$ 222,542
Beef and veal	49,508	\$ 6,026
Pork, and pork products	2,507	719
Mutton	296	55
Meats, n.o.p.	143	23
Total meats	...	\$ 6,823
Bones	...	\$ 7,702
Grease	...	1,460
Glue stock	...	3,660
Hair	...	780
Hides and skins	...	342,427
Horns and hoofs	...	831
Sausage-casings	...	466
Sheep-pelts	...	81,425
Tallow	...	2,338
Tails	...	492
Wool	...	25,278
Other articles of animals	...	477
Total articles of animals	...	\$ 417,536
Poultry	...	\$ 3,240
Butter	122	45
Cheese	20,205	4,246
Milk (as fresh)*	40,686	12,323
Total dairy products	...	\$ 16,614
Apples	cars	1,975
Other tree-fruits	"	
Small fruits	"	\$1,412,125
Evaporated vegetables	tons	15,000
Potatoes	"	24,900
Other vegetables	"	15,500
Total vegetables	...	\$1,372,500
Whole grains	bu.	74,000
Milled stock-feed	...	\$ 100,219
Beans	...	9,590
Flour	...	6,137
Total grains, etc.	...	58,561
Hay	...	\$ 174,507
Hops	...	\$ 2,816
Grand total	...	154,946
		\$3,783,049

* Shipped out as condensed, but shown above as fresh.

STATUS OF FARM LABOUR, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

SUPPLY.

Up to the year 1915 the supply of farm labour was sufficient for ordinary development and field-crop harvesting. In 1915 more or less shortage occurred in some of the chief fruit-producing centres of the Province during harvest, and this became increasingly acute in 1916, when enlistment had greatly depleted the number of experienced packers.

In mixed-farming operations considerable difficulty was experienced in 1916 in obtaining sufficient harvest labour, and when the most unsatisfactory men demanded the highest wage. However, by farmers interchanging work with their neighbours, crops were harvested without any serious loss.

Experienced labour for all agricultural purposes has always been noticeably deficient in British Columbia, and this is becoming more marked in the last year or two, and especially in the fruit industry. As a very large percentage of the orchards are now rapidly maturing, growers will face an increasing difficulty as long as the present war continues.

In providing for orchard-cultivation many growers are now leasing the ground for intercrop purposes, the owner in most cases taking as payment one-half this crop, while the renter during the season takes the necessary ordinary care of the trees.

In the picking and packing of tree-fruits a special effort is being made to increase the supply of efficient labour by including in the regular packing-schools, conducted by the Department of Agriculture, special instruction to school-children.

NATIONALITY.

Previous to 1916 the demand for white men in public work, and the wages paid for comparatively short hours, rendered it difficult for the farmer to employ this class, and therefore was obliged to look to Orientals for his supply. This condition, coupled with the scarcity of white labour through enlistment, has given Orientals a marked foothold in agricultural labour. It is estimated that 70 per cent. of the labour in the Okanagan fruit sections in 1916 was Orientals. Practically the entire production of market vegetables in the Province is by Chinese and Japanese labour. A very large percentage of the labour employed in the small-fruit industry is Chinese.

In 1916 Indians were more extensively employed than ever before, but considering the wages demanded, they proved generally unsatisfactory.

WAGES.

Following will be found a table showing the average wages paid for the years 1913-15-16. The lower figure shown under the various headings generally applies to those sections immediately around the larger cities and towns, and especially in the Lower Fraser River District, whilst the higher figure applies to fruit and other districts.

Monthly Wages.

Year.	WITH BOARD.		WITHOUT BOARD.	
	White.	Asiatic.	White.	Asiatic.
1913	\$30-50	\$33-55	\$50-70	\$35-65
1915	32-65	22-30	52-55	22-27
1916	30-60	30-50	45-70	35-60

Day Wages.

Year.	WITH BOARD.		WITHOUT BOARD.	
	White.	Asiatic.	White.	Asiatic.
1913	\$2 50-2 75	...	\$2 80-3 25	\$2 00
1915	1 75-2 25	\$1 40-1 75	2 00-2 50	1 75-2 00
1916	2 00-3 00	1 75-3 00	2 50-3 50	1 50-2 50

In the year 1913 berry-pickers were paid an average of 40 to 47 cents per crate, or 25 cents per hour, whilst in 1916 from 40 to 75 cents per crate was paid. The higher figure was necessary as an inducement to get the crop harvested in a continuous heavy rainfall and a cloud of mosquitoes.

In the orchard sections of the Okanagan Valley the average wage paid for white labour was \$2 per day, and to Orientals about \$1.50 per day, without board in both cases.

METEOROLOGICAL.**SYNOPSIS OF CLIMATIC CONDITIONS.**

Reviewing climatic conditions in the Province in so far as they affect agriculture, it may be stated that they were not the most favourable. During the winter of 1915-16 the month of January will probably go down in history as the coldest month ever recorded in the Province. The weather became especially severe about the 10th of the month, after which gales and heavy snowfalls were frequent. The heavy winds, coupled with low temperatures following the drought of 1915, did considerable damage to the hay meadows in the Lower Mainland District, where much of the clover in the older meadows was killed.

Considerable damage from low winter temperatures occurred to the more tender varieties of fruit-trees in the Okanagan District.

The spring of 1916 was cold and backward, vegetation being from two to three weeks later than average throughout the Province.

Conditions during the growing period varied in the various sections. On Vancouver Island and in the Central and Peace River Districts drought considerably reduced crops, and especially in the latter two sections, where drought and early frosts both resulted in almost a total failure in some localities to grain and vegetable crops. There was sufficient rainfall over the West Kootenay District to mature excellent crops, yet excessive precipitation over the Lower Mainland District during haying did considerable damage to this crop, in that it was allowed to become over-ripe and considerable was damaged in the cock, thus reducing the feeding value.

Excessive rainfall over the Lower Mainland District damaged cherries, and the raspberry shipments were greatly decreased.

Favourable weather prevailed in the Okanagan during the apples and other tree-fruit harvest.

Drought during the fall months over beef-cattle ranges and along the Lower Fraser Valley considerably reduced pastures; and the Fraser Valley being a dairy section, the flow of milk was considerably reduced.

TABLE No. 27—SHOWING PRECIPITATION, 1913-16.

Station.	April to June (inclusive).				
	1913.	1914.	1915.	1916.	Average.
<i>East Kootenay.</i>					
Cranbrook .....	....	3.60	4.81	6.77	5.06
Creston .....	....	4.70	4.80	5.01	4.74
Elko	7.06	6.33	7.06	M.	7.00
Golden .....	....	2.79	....	2.47	2.13
Wilmer	2.80	4.13	6.10	4.96	4.47
<i>West Kootenay.</i>					
Glacier .....	....	9.40	11.06	9.23	9.90
Needles (Pauquier) .....	....	5.33	10.01	6.79	7.34
Nelson	6.63	7.56	8.40	6.10	7.19
Revelstoke .....	....	6.30	10.95	6.80	7.08
Roanland .....	....	8.62	13.06	9.09	10.38
<i>Boundary.</i>					
Grand Forks	5.96	5.06	7.42	5.32	5.92
Keremeos .....	....	....	4.07	....	....
Hedley	4.06	3.73	5.13	3.66	4.16
<i>Okanagan Valley.</i>					
Enderby	5.13	4.73	9.11	3.67	5.96
Okanagan Mission	4.87	2.14	M.	M.	3.25
Penticton	6.87	3.73	5.66	4.06	5.00
Summerland	6.59	3.51	4.17	2.55	4.30
Vernon	6.40	2.54	6.37	2.44	4.66
<i>Thompson Watershed.</i>					
Kamloops	3.42	3.23	4.94	3.96	3.64
Nicola Lake	2.94	4.60	M.	4.76	4.10
Salmon Arm	4.96	3.36	7.99	3.75	5.01
Tranquille .....	....	1.96	4.00	3.72	3.22
<i>Lower Mainland.</i>					
Agassiz	18.13	11.67	12.98	13.96	14.17
Chilliwack	9.49	9.05	11.22	9.92	9.92
Coquitlam .....	....	10.25	9.66	11.24	10.38
Ladner	7.45	4.00	8.85	5.85	5.16
North Nicomen	11.70	10.69	11.22	13.31	11.73
Vancouver	10.67	7.00	7.53	6.82	6.15
<i>Islands.</i>					
Alberni	10.90	11.78	10.20	11.31	11.05
Clayoquot	23.22	19.81	19.01	25.17	21.00
Cowichan	4.36	5.38	4.97	4.41	4.79
Goldstream .....	....	5.94	5.77	4.99	5.57
Nanaimo .....	....	4.46	5.46	3.53	4.48
Salt Spring Island	5.23	5.64	5.32	4.60	5.20
Sooke Harbour .....	....	6.16	3.79	5.43	5.13
Victoria	2.47	2.89	2.44	2.11	2.56
<i>Northern</i>					
Pemberton Meadows .....	....	4.45	4.02	4.43	4.30
Fort George .....	....	3.87	5.72	2.12	3.90
Stuart Lake (Fort St. James) .....	....	2.27	3.63	1.90	2.60

TABLE No. 28—SHOWING PRECIPITATION, 1912-16.

Station.	July to September (inclusive)				
	1912.	1914.	1915.	1916.	Average.
<i>East Kootenay.</i>					
Cranbrook	4.21	2.06	5.00	3.96	2.98
Oreston	...	2.78	5.04	2.57	2.69
Elko	4.92	2.91	7.10	M.	5.21
Golden	7.12	2.00	6.44	3.99	5.02
Wilmer	6.05	5.25	5.21	4.41	5.23
<i>West Kootenay.</i>					
Glacier	19.12	6.09	10.47	15.21	12.96
Needles (Fauquier)	6.16	4.49	4.23	4.96	4.96
Nelson	7.98	4.73	5.59	4.12	4.69
Revelstoke	10.91	6.08	5.14	10.00	8.22
Rossland	2.16	4.16	5.01	3.62	2.96
<i>Boundary.</i>					
Grand Forks	2.51	2.24	4.22	2.92	2.11
Keremeos	...	...	...	M.	M.
Hedley	1.62	2.60	4.22	3.37	2.02
<i>Okanagan Valley.</i>					
Enderby	4.50	2.64	2.71	5.09	4.22
Okanagan Mission	2.10	...	...	M.	...
Penticton	2.09	2.22	2.22	3.50	2.01
Summerland	1.45	2.61	3.02	1.90	2.47
Vernon	2.45	2.11	2.22	3.43	2.45
<i>Thompson Watershed.</i>					
Kamloops	2.24	2.00	2.08	1.52	2.21
Nicola Lake	2.07	...	2.97	2.21	2.75
Salmon Arm	4.66	2.70	3.79	4.19	3.24
Tranquille	1.65	1.62	2.94	1.50	2.22
<i>Lower Mainland.</i>					
Agassiz	14.10	7.04	2.95	7.22	7.85
Chilliwack	11.12	6.97	2.34	6.57	5.75
Coquitlam	9.66	9.62	3.29	7.66	7.59
Ladner	2.80	2.20	1.22	2.88	2.02
North Nicomen	14.77	2.74	2.41	2.97	2.97
Vancouver	6.76	2.02	2.07	7.11	5.99
<i>Islands.</i>					
Alberni	10.06	7.56	2.49	3.25	6.09
Clayoquot	15.24	11.52	7.51	12.06	11.66
Cowichan	2.64	2.81	1.42	3.52	2.10
Goldstream	5.07	4.21	2.96	2.21	3.26
Nanaimo	...	4.46	1.24	2.22	2.62
Saltspring Island	4.50	2.72	1.12	2.20	2.92
Sooke Harbour	4.42	2.24	1.46	2.67	2.15
Victoria	3.24	2.16	1.66	1.58	2.16
<i>Northern.</i>					
Pemberton Meadows	...	4.09	2.12	3.02	2.29
Fort George	...	6.92	4.00	4.99	5.42
Stuart Lake (Fort St. James)	...	4.07	2.02	4.77	4.62

TABLE No. 29—SHOWING PRECIPITATION, 1913-16.

Station.	April to September.				
	1913.	1914.	1915.	1916.	Average.
<i>East Kootenay.</i>					
Cranbrook.....	.....	6.57	9.54	10.43	8.86
Creston.....	.....	7.43	10.14	7.66	8.42
Elko.....	11.57	10.14	14.91	24.	12.27
Golden.....	.....	5.29	.....	7.28	6.27
Wilmer.....	8.96	8.45	11.64	9.27	9.55
<i>West Kootenay.</i>					
Glacier.....	.....	15.40	21.55	25.04	20.60
Needles (Fauquier).....	.....	9.72	14.34	11.75	11.94
Nelson.....	21.90	12.31	13.90	10.23	14.63
Revelstoke.....	.....	12.23	19.09	17.40	16.24
Romand.....	.....	12.98	18.09	12.71	14.50
<i>Boundary.</i>					
Grand Forks.....	8.60	7.42	11.80	8.24	9.04
Kermeos.....	.....	.....	.....	M.	M.
Hedley.....	5.57	.....	9.50	7.02	7.20
<i>Okanagan Valley.</i>					
Enderby.....	9.68	8.26	12.58	8.76	10.00
Okanagan Mission.....	6.47	.....	.....	M.	.....
Penticton.....	8.46	6.54	9.49	7.55	8.01
Summerland.....	8.03	6.12	8.09	4.45	6.67
Vernon.....	9.85	5.65	10.69	6.87	8.11
<i>Thompson Watershed.</i>					
Kamloops.....	5.66	4.23	8.02	5.48	5.85
Nicola Lake.....	6.01	.....	.....	6.97	6.49
Salmon Arm.....	9.61	6.66	11.73	7.94	8.85
Tranquille.....	.....	3.00	8.08	5.22	5.65
<i>Lower Mai. A.</i>					
Agassiz.....	22.23	18.71	15.88	21.29	22.03
Chilliwack.....	20.61	16.02	13.61	16.49	16.48
Coquitlam.....	.....	19.88	12.05	18.90	17.26
Ladner.....	11.25	7.20	4.57	9.73	8.19
North Nuomen.....	26.47	19.43	14.63	22.28	20.73
Vancouver.....	17.43	15.63	9.60	13.95	14.15
<i>Islands.</i>					
Alberni.....	20.95	19.34	13.60	14.56	17.13
Clayoquot.....	28.46	31.63	26.52	37.22	33.46
Cowichan.....	8.00	9.19	6.39	7.93	7.88
Goldstream.....	.....	10.15	8.73	8.20	9.03
Nanaimo.....	.....	8.92	6.80	5.76	7.16
Salt Spring Island.....	9.73	9.42	6.45	6.90	8.12
Sooke.....	.....	10.00	5.25	8.30	7.85
Victoria.....	5.71	5.05	4.12	4.11	4.75
<i>Northern.</i>					
Fort George.....	.....	10.80	10.32	7.02	9.38
Pemberton Meadows.....	.....	9.44	6.14	7.45	7.68
Stuart Lake (Fort St. James).....	.....	6.34	8.66	6.67	7.22

TABLE No. 30—SHOWING HIGHEST AND LOWEST TEMPERATURE.

Station.	1914.		1915.	
	Highest.	Lowest.	Highest.	Lowest.
Agassiz.....	98.0	16.0	95.0	- 3.0
Alberni.....	101.0	17.0	108.0	1.0
Atlin.....	85.0	-19.0	84.0	-41.8
Barkerville.....	77.0	- 7.0	76.0	-40.8
Bella Coola.....	92.0	11.0	98.0	-15.8
Chilcotin (Big Creek).....	84.0	-21.0	84.0	-39.8
Clayoquot.....	85.0	27.0	84.0	18.0
Cowichan.....	91.5	19.2	89.0	1.0
Chilliwack.....	95.0	18.0	91.0	1.0
Cranbrook.....	95.0	-22.0	92.0	36.0
Crawford Bay.....	85.0	4.0	89.0	-19.0
Creston.....	88.0	- 7.0	86.0	-14.0
Elko.....	94.1	12.0	M.	M.
Golden.....	M.	M.	83.0	-38.0
Glenora.....	80.0	- 6.0	80.0	-25.0
Glasier.....	97.0	-11.0	97.0	-22.0
Grand Forks.....	95.5	- 1.8	95.0	-28.0
Kamloops.....	88.0	22.0	83.0	.....
Ladner.....	93.8	19.3	98.3	1.4
New Westminster.....	95.0	1.0	90.0	- 8.0
Nelson.....	90.5	-14.0	89.0	-37.0
Nicola Lake.....	84.0	4.0	M.	M.
Okanagan Mission.....	90.0	4.0	90.0	- 9.5
Penticton.....	79.0	23.0	86.0	- 6.0
Prince Rupert.....	95.0	-30.0	92.0	-39.0
Princeton.....	94.0	- 8.0	92.0	-42.0
Queensland.....	86.5	1.0	83.0	-11.5
Salmon Arm.....	94.0	1.0	94.0	-31.0
Summerland.....	90.0	1.0	93.0	-17.0
Tranquille.....	91.0	1.0	91.9	-25.0
Vancouver.....	89.5	22.9	82.9	6.0
Vernon.....	98.0	- 1.0	94.0	-24.0
Victoria.....	87.9	27.0	85.5	15.0
Wilmer.....	80.0	- 9.0	87.0	-38.0
Pemberton Meadows.....	97.0	- 6.0	90.0	-32.0
Fort George.....	M.	M.	88.5	-45.5
Stuart Lake (Fort St. James).....	92.0	-18.0	88.5	-45.5

TABLE No. 31.—SHOWING TEMPERATURES, 1915-16.

Station.	1915.		1916.	
	Lowest Mean Minimum, 1915.	Highest Mean Maximum, 1915.	Lowest Mean Minimum, 1916.	Highest Mean Maximum, 1916.
<i>East Kootenay.</i>				
Oranbrook	7.8	86.4, Aug.	-13.7	79.4, July.
Creston	17.7	82.3, "	8.9	77.1, Aug.
Elko	15.8	86.9, "	M.	M.
Goshen	M.	M.	-8.9	74.8, Aug.
Wilmer	8.2	81.7, Aug.	-11.8	76.2, "
<i>West Kootenay.</i>				
Waneta	16.2	85.8, Aug.	2.5	81.6, Aug.
Glacier	11.2	75.6, "	-9.1	67.6, "
Needles (Fauquier)	17.7	85.2, "	1.3	81.1, "
Nelson	20.1	85.6, "	8.3	79.5, "
Revelstoke	18.7	81.8, "	-6.7	76.2, "
Rossland	19.6	80.0, "	4.6	71.2, "
<i>Boundary.</i>				
Grand Forks	19.8	90.0, Aug.	-0.1	84.3, Aug.
Hedley	15.9	87.8, "	-4.0	81.6, "
Keremeos	M.	M.	....	M.
<i>Okanagan Valley.</i>				
Enderby	17.2	85.4, Aug.	-8.7	18.0, Aug.
Okanagan Mission	18.2	79.2, "	M.	M.
Penticton	30.9	85.3, "	6.5	82.5, Aug.
Summerland	16.0	84.2, "	-0.2	80.3, "
Vernon	13.0	80.5, "	-8.1	81.4, "
<i>Thompson Watershed.</i>				
Ashcroft	M.	M.	M.	M.
Kamloops	17.6	86.9, Aug.	-9.5	83.2, Aug.
Nicola Lake	8.6	82.2, "	-14.9	77.1, "
Salmon Arm	15.7	86.7, "	-8.3	81.8, "
Tranquille	19.9	83.1, "	-7.6	79.9, "
<i>Lower Mainland.</i>				
Aquamis	31.0	82.0, Aug.	15.4	78.6, Aug.
Chilliwack	31.7	78.8, "	15.8	76.2, "
Ladner	34.0	74.1, "	19.0	69.4, "
Nicomex	31.8	80.5, "	17.0	76.0, "
Vancouver	24.3	75.6, "	21.0	72.4, "
<i>Islands.</i>				
Alberni	28.9	85.0, Aug.	13.1	78.4, Aug.
Clayoquot	34.4	72.1, "	26.0	68.5, "
Cowichan	31.3	77.8, "	19.9	75.0, "
Nanaimo	33.3	76.7, "	21.8	72.6, "
Salt Spring Island	32.2	76.8, "	20.7	73.1, "
Sooke Harbour	33.1	73.3, "	24.0	70.4, "
Victoria	36.7	70.1, "	25.2	67.2, "
<i>Northern.</i>				
Pemberton Meadows	16.7	83.6, Aug.	-10.6	80.5, Aug.
Fort George	M.	M.	-23.3	75.2, "
Stuart Lake			-25.4	73.4, "

TABLE NO. 32—SHOWING HOURS OF BRIGHT SUNSHINE.

Station.	Year.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year.
Agassiz.	1913	96	105	107	136	121	140	100	203	171	72	40	58	1,328
	1914	113	67	89	145	202	176	247	225	225	112	96	60	1,408
	1915	69	70	131	139	181	160	106	173	109	101	84	23	1,273
	1916	72	100	66	92	164	178	100	227	143	137	79	22	1,376
	Averages.	45	86	90	125	155	161	184	207	121	85	47	38	1,363
Kamloops.	1913	61	102	102	148	109	227	280	249	204	83	92	44	1,506
	1914	23	121	131	231	278	228	279	249	199	137	54	31	1,917
	1915	53	73	170	151	202	235	273	331	179	125	84	33	1,977
	1916	97	84	115	177	221	252	294	309	197	131	84	49	2,060
	Averages.	61	77	145	184	224	236	289	312	177	133	78	44	1,940
Nanaimo.	1913	....	....	108	150	211	92	248	246	160	92	94	....	....
	1914	....	....	108	150	211	92	248	246	160	92	94	....	....
	1915	77	100	100	140	227	254	173	325	188	164	63	43	1,735
	1916	68	100	87	160	227	254	173	325	188	164	63	43	1,735
	Averages.	72	79	107	160	211	211	244	272	181	115	70	62	....
Salmon Arm.	1913	40	112	144	211	290	237	237	267	209	107	40	30	1,222
	1914	31	57	122	163	261	201	294	299	182	121	39	23	1,725
	1915	41	52	118	185	210	224	292	319	159	117	56	43	1,285
	1916	85	96	94	165	206	214	233	302	200	173	76	23	1,684
	Averages.	54	79	129	184	234	219	269	297	172	120	52	32	1,411
Sumnerland.	1913	82	143	168	216	215	194	310	254	238	125	79	42	2,040
	1914	30	66	147	253	272	243	280	314	159	141	40	36	2,019
	1915	63	54	154	223	173	242	242	285	186	134	60	29	1,586
	1916	78	73	124	188	234	234	260	297	219	135	81	51	2,029
	Averages.	58	85	147	215	224	227	288	298	200	145	60	30	1,606
Tranquille.	1913	84	146	....	....	....	....	308	257	221	131	95	59	....
	1914	43	63	161	231	277	245	290	301	157	148	62	47	2,001
	1915	70	87	177	251	204	248	277	311	153	137	100	66	2,116
	1916	96	90	122	213	211	264	274	306	209	192	92	52	2,152
	Averages.	75	93	153	228	231	251	290	294	165	132	57	55	....

TABLE No. 32.—SHOWING HOURS OF BRIGHT SUNSHINE—Concluded.

Station.	Year.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year.
Vancouver	1913	43	97	126	160	178	187	270	228	173	111	62	26	1,631
"	1914	39	46	104	166	270	249	313	281	79	102	39	67	1,745
"	1915	53	44	132	203	164	267	292	222	141	85	70	36	1,684
"	1916	66	85	96	142	217	225	145	234	191	151	85	23	1,698
Averages	....	51	68	112	163	207	231	248	254	146	112	64	28	1,604
Victoria	1913	50	81	122	128	166	168	275	237	196	92	57	30	1,604
"	1914	36	69	117	178	236	230	323	246	92	117	45	84	1,944
"	1915	83	64	159	222	181	305	281	203	202	80	67	62	1,972
"	1916	66	99	90	170	231	226	228	325	250	164	124	50	2,023
Averages	....	59	78	122	174	219	245	273	283	185	118	73	57	1,880
Sidney	1914	....	....	....	176	293	282	322	200	88	96	45	72	1,963
"	1915	70	66	143	223	181	310	299	275	191	105	71	59	1,963
"	1916	66	104	81	166	252	270	221	306	195	145	104	31	1,981
Averages	....	66	85	112	186	242	287	284	294	156	115	73	54	....
Invermere	1914	54	74	145	165	237	168	315	288	148	87	56	87	1,834
"	1915	46	71	176	190	168	198	212	298	152	125	69	43	1,747
"	1916	90	98	132	183	170	202	271	290	192	159	86	84	1,953
Averages		66	81	151	182	195	199	296	278	164	124	67	71	1,844

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